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GERMANS TRAP FRENCH ATTACK ARMY

'No Journey Ever Seemed So Good To Me'

Englishman Tells Of Horrors During German Attack On Boulogne; Defiant Struggle Of British War Vessels

LONDON—(AP)—An Englishman who witnessed this week's fighting at Boulogne told Saturday night of being taken aboard a British destroyer while its guns thundered parting defiance to German troops swarming into the French city.

The witness, Frederick Brinjes, a business man, said the ancient, sunny city across the channel had become a shell-rocked, bomb-spattered trap for thousands of refugees.

Brinjes, brought home to England aboard the destroyer, declared "no journey ever seemed so good to me."

He told of spending two nights at the maritime station in Boulogne where thousands of hysterical men, women and children waited to get out of the city.

They were without water. There were no sanitary facilities. Machine-gun bullets rattled in the streets.

"There must have been many killed," he said. "I don't know how many. I know there were hundreds wounded and I saw many going mad."

Brinjes reached Boulogne Wednesday afternoon.

"The street to the station was black with people," he said. "It took me two hours to fight my way through the crowd."

"Everytime a bomb went off the women would scream," Brinjes related. "No one tried to stop them."

Many soldiers who had fought in local engagements in the previous several days were in the station, he said, and British and French destroyers were moored nearby.

"The heavy bombing and low-raking fire from planes started at dusk Wednesday and continued all night," Brinjes said. "Not much damage was done to the station but a number of people were cut by flying glass."

Among the spectacles was a "dog fight" between planes above the harbor. Two enemy planes fell into the sea in flames.

By Thursday afternoon, he recalled, the German troops had penetrated the town and captured guns on a hill near the Continental Hotel.

"At seven that night," he continued, "three destroyers alongside the jetty opened fire on German gun emplacements on the hill.

"The noise was terrific. The German fire was far from accurate but one destroyer finally was struck amidships. I learned later it reached a British port safely.

"The remaining two destroyers put the German guns out of action.

"During the shelling other destroyers were taking aboard women, children and injured soldiers.

"Many of the regugees were wounded by machine gun fire as they dashed about 50 yards to the destroyers.

"By nine o'clock the Germans were coming toward the station. The British and French were fighting back, firing from under railway carriages and from behind sandbag defenses. German tanks began to appear.

"At the moment I got aboard the destroyer it was still firing. We made a top speed dash across the channel. No sea journey ever seemed so good to me."

Italy Turns Eyes To Corsica

SIGNS SOUGHT OF WAR MOVE

Fascist Act Is Still Matter Of Guess

ROME—(AP)—In spoken and printed word and picture, the name of Corsica, French Mediterranean Island, flashed before Italian eyes Saturday night against a background of exciting rumor.

Italy's preparations for war gained in momentum, but how or when Fascism would act remained a matter of guesswork.

The fact that westbound Italian shipping, including sailing of the great flagship Rex, had halted until at least June 6, made that date a focus of speculation.

Italian Move Seen

Foreign observers professed to see in the Corsica outburst a sign that Italy, if she goes to war at all, would move first in the western Mediterranean.

The French have held Corsica since 1768, and Napolean came to France from there. But the island, 114 miles long and separated only by the narrow strait of Bonifacio from Italian Sardinia, is Italian by history, geography and tongue.

A manifesto, issued in Rome by Petru Giovacchini, leader of the Corsican irredentists, called upon Corsicans to "arise—the moment of redemption is near." Giovacchini, a half Italian fugitive from the island, has been agitating for Corsica's return to Italy.

Persecution Charged

A map of Corsica, printed in bright red ink, was spread across the front page of the newspaper Tevere.

Posters screaming "Viva Italian Corsica" were plastered on the walls of Rome.

There were rumors, among others, that Italians in Malta, Britain's Mediterranean naval base, might send a delegation here to ask Mussolini for "protection" against the "persecution" which the Italian press insists Maltese now endure.

Italians 'Await Word'

Minister of Agriculture Cassinai told an irrigation convention in Bologna that Italians are "impatiently awaiting" Mussolini's command to "break the prison which is holding them" in the Mediterranean.

The United States embassy, according to usually reliable sources, is prepared to take charge of the French and British diplomatic establishments in case of war.

Allies Claim Half Million Nazis Lost

NEW YORK (AP)—At least half a million German soldiers have been "lost" during the last 10 days, a German-language short wave broadcast from London said Saturday. The announcement, heard here by NBC, said the estimate was made in Paris.

The broadcast said authoritiative English circles claim that the German advance from Frankfort on the Oder, which recently effected the various attacks on the Aisne, had been repulsed with the loss of half the men.

Weapon Versatile

Anti-Aircraft Guns Sink Destroyer

BERLIN —(AP)— The anti-aircraft gun, while not a new weapon, has been applied by the Germans in a different triple-threat manner.

Aside from its fundamental function in air defense, it has been turned successfully on tanks and—according to German announcements Saturday—has been used to sink a French destroyer in the English Channel.

Germans say that destroyers are the easiest victims of ground cannon and Germany's fast-firing, 88-millimeter (roughly 3½-inch) anti-aircraft guns which have a horizontal range of at least eight miles.

New Airplane Warning Device Seen

Millions Asked To Perfect Coastal Defense System Of U. S. A.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A highly secret, supersensitive airplane detector which pierces all fog and darkness to give defending fighters a vital, 15-minute warning of approaching enemy aircraft has been perfected by the army for a chain of coastal lookout stations.

Designed to forestall such destruction as engulfed the Polish air force, before it got off the ground, the apparatus has been described by Brig. Gen. George V. Strong, in charge of army war plans, as "apparently far in advance of any similar equipment available to any of the belligerents abroad."

Experts hinted that aircraft engines could not be shielded or insulated against detection by the device, which reputedly picks up light waves or rays at distances of 50 miles or more.

General Strong and General George C. Marshall, chief of staff, gave congressional committee members only a glimpse of photographs and the sketchiest of information about the detector when they requested that $6,299,000 be included in the President's billion-dollar arms program for a vast airplane warning system.

PORT ISABEL BOAT IS HELD

Mexico Authorities Detain Vessel

(Complete details and pictures of Neptuna on Page 11.)

TAMPICO, Mexico—(AP)—Mexican port authorities announced Saturday that they were holding a 14-ton American fishing vessel, "The Neptune," for appearing in Mexican territorial waters without government permission. The ship was listed as being out of Port Isabel, Texas.

Authorities said Leon Davis, master of the vessel, declared he had not intended to fish in Mexican waters but was driven close to shore to take bearings because of poor visibility. Ship's papers named George Foote as owner.

Coastguards reported they found nothing otherwise irregular, but brought the boat here for investigation. Port authorities had not announced disposition of the case Saturday night.

Ireland Organizes Volunteer Forces For Island Defense

DUBLIN—(AP)—Premier Eamon de Valera announced Saturday night the formation of a new volunteer force for "local security work" in Ireland (Eire).

"We are within the war zone," he said in an address to his Finnaa Fail party followers at a meeting in Galway City.

"We must prepare to defend the liberties we have won."

He said the new volunteer corps would be apart from the regular army and would be associated with the police force "to watch over the security of the people and to watch for the first sign of attack upon us."

Culberson In Race For Railroad Post

DALLAS— (AP) —Olin Culberson, the ninth candidate to officially enter the race for railroad commissioner, personally filed his application for a place on the ballot with state Democratic Chairman E. B. Germany Saturday and paid the $100 filing fee.

The application of Tom Beauchamp of Tyler as a candidate for judge of the court of criminal appeals also was received Saturday.

Experience At Helm Is Said Texas Need

DALLAS —(AP)— Because of the threat of war, Texas needs a governor experienced in statecraft, former Governor Jame E. Ferguson said here Saturday night.

Ferguson spoke at a rally in behalf of the gubernatorial candidacy of his wife, former Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. Mrs. Ferguson also addressed the gathering.

Postal Revenues Up

WASHINGTON—(AP)— Postmaster General Farley reported Saturday that postal revenues for April were $65,169,287, an increase of $4,500,000 over the same month a year ago.

French General Captured

The above picture, sent by radio from Berlin to New York, shows, according to the German caption, French General Henri Giraud, second from right, touching his distinctive French cap in salute as he faces his captors on German soil. General Giraud, who was captured early in the World War, but escaped, was in command of the French Ninth Army when captured.

Pink Pest Found

Hidalgo Has First 1940 Boll Worm

McALLEN—Discovery of a pink boll worm in a small cotton field near Weslaco is the first in Hidalgo county this season, officials of the United States Department of Agriculture boll worm eradication project announced here Saturday.

Four additional fields were found infested in Cameron county along the Military highway.

No worms have been found in Star and Willacy counties to date, the federal officials said. Inspections, however, will continue.

General Finds Many Flaws In U. S. Army

CAMP BEAUREGARD, La.—(AP)—Many serious flaws in American military operations and strategy were disclosed Saturday by Major General H. J. Brees in his appraisal of the army maneuvers just ended here.

One of the most important conclusions by the commanding general of the Eighth Corps Area and chief control officer of the war games in which 70,000 regulars participated was that lack of support by heavy weapons, including artillery, was "painfully evident."

Retail Sales Better

AUSTIN —(AP)— Despite a post-Easter lag, sales of 93 Texas department stores for the first third of 1940 were 3.5 per cent above those for the corresponding period of 1939, the University of Texas bureau of business research reported Saturday.

Methodists Ask U. S. To Stay Out Of War

ASHEVILLE, N. C. —(AP)— The Southeastern Jurisdictional Conference of the Methodist Church asked the United States Saturday to stay out of war.

A report adopted by the conference, representing nine state conferences, said:

"We must not yield to the fallacy that the United States must go into the war if it is to serve in establishing a new peace basis. We can serve best by staying out."

Landon Said Out Of Place In Talk

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Senator Byrnes (D-SC), an administration supporter, declared Saturday that Alf M. Landon had "misrepresented" the Republican party when he called on President Roosevelt to renounce any third term intention in order to strengthen the president's position for national defense.

500 Are Arrested In Paris Spy Raid

PARIS —(AP)— Police said Saturday night the Paris mop-up of suspected spies had resulted in arrest of more than 500 persons, including 334 foreigners who were sent to concentration camps.

Holland Subs Safe; Destroyer Is Sunk

LONDON —(AP)— The 1,316-ton Dutch destroyer Van Galen was bombed and sunk by the Germans during the invasion of the low countries, the admiralty said Saturday night, but two new Dutch submarines managed to reach England through a magnetic mine-field.

BORDER FENCE IS PROPOSED

Barrier To Mexico Is To Be Charged

SAN ANTONIO —(AP)— Talk of constructing an electrically charged fence along the Mexican border from Del Rio to Laredo, has been revived during the past few days, Harry Hornby, collector of customs for the San Antonio district, said Saturday.

Residents at various border points have become decidedly tense because of European developments and alleged fifth column activities in Mexico, Hornby said, and this has revived talk of constructing an eight or 10-foot metal wire fence for a distance of about 155 miles between Laredo and Del Rio.

Hornby said a number of aliens have been detained, investigated and released in recent days.

Alien Checkup Law Approved By Senate

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Fearing "Fifth Column" activities like those which undermined Norwegian and Dutch defenses, a Senate judiciary subcommittee Saturday approved legislation to check up on all aliens and punish persons attempting to shake the loyalty of America's defenders.

A provision requiring that approximately 4,000,000 aliens register and be fingerprinted at post offices throughout the country within the next four months was added by the subcommittee to a House approved bill against subversive activities.

Nazi Bombers Score On East Kent Coast

LONDON (Sunday) —(AP)— German warplanes were believed to have dropped bombs off the southeast coast of England early Sunday morning but no damage was reported.

In East Kent residents hurried into shelters and basements during an air raid alarm in effect for 105 minutes.

British fighter planes were seen flying out to sea and anti-aircraft guns were heard.

Garner Men To Brush Aside Troublemakers

DALLAS —(AP)— Myron G. Blalock of Marshall, head of the Garner for President organization in Texas said in a statement Saturday that "troublemakers and extremists" in the Democratic convention at Waco Tuesday will be "brushed aside."

Congress May Need To Hike Debt Limit

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Talk arose Saturday that the administration might send Congress a last-minute request to increase the $45,000,000,000 debt limit by $1,000,000,000, but Senate leaders still insisted that no action would be necessary at this session to finance President Roosevelt's emergency defense program

Bomber Crash Fatal To British Crewmen

LONDON —(AP)— A British bomber crashed and burned on a cricket field in a Midland town Saturday night, killing three occupants. The plane was thought to have struck a barrage balloon.

Lee O'Daniel Backs F.D.R. Defense Plan

Austin—(AP)—In his regular Saturday night broadcast, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel urged Texans to support President Roosevelt's defense program "100 per cent."

FRENCH OUST 15 GENERALS FOR FAILURE

Weygand Organizing New Defenses

PARIS —(AP)— General Maxime Weygand Saturday summarily dismissed 15 generals who figured in the French rout from the Meuse front and injected fresh blood into his Allied high command for the decisive phase of the battle for the English Channel.

A war ministry communique published under the heading of "penalties" said the 15 commanders of full armies, corps, divisions and other army services had been removed from their posts. Their names were not announced.

Nazis Rush Up Tanks

Their commands already have been taken over by new men chosen by General Weygand in his flying trips to the front to lead the campaign against the German corridor to the sea.

Seven infantry colonels were promoted to be Major Generals to fill the places of those ousted. Promoted are Henri Martin, Jean Besse, Andre Durand, Charles Mast, Charles De Gaulle, Gustave Nesny and Louis Buisson.

The Nazis poured masses of heavy tanks and infantry through their breach between the northern Allied forces and the central French army in an effort to tighten their hold on the English Channel coast.

Allies Claim Thrusts

On the northern side of the corridor the Germans occupied Vimy Ridge and other crests northwest of Arras, making contact with the new British-Belgian positions, and pressed their attacks on the Dover straits port of Calais.

On the southern side of the German salient French operations along the Somme River were reported continuing "with success."

The night high command communique said the situation in the north "was udnergoing no important change." It added that the French were inflicting heavy losses on the enemy "in all encounters" and that between the Aisne and Meuse rivers the Allies held domination ovr the Germans.

Neck Is Squeezed

The Germans, gambling for all-or-nothing in the battle for the English Channel coast, Saturday night rushed their heaviest tanks and motorized infantry through their narrow corridor to the sea to support lighter advance units.

Allied counter-attacks were frequent and intense and French military spokesmen asserted these had squeezed the corridor's neck from Friday's 30 or 35 miles to 20.

An early decision was indicated as the struggles developed on two main fronts, with the northern Allied forces in Flanders and the central French army on the Somme continuing their campaign to form

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Brownwood Citizens Break Up Gathering Of Religious Group

BROWNWOOD —(AP)— A crowd of several hundred persons broke up a meeting of religious sect here Saturday. Members of the sect had been selling literature on the streets.

The crowd formed around the sect's regular meeting hall. Police accompanied three of the sect's leaders to the police station, then back to the hall, where the group was asked to disperse. The request was obeyed.

Interstate Houses Receive F. D. Talk

HARLINGEN — The message of President F. D. Roosevelt, Sunday at 8:30 p. m., will be received in 11 Interstate Theatres in the Rio Grande Valley, Manager Jack King said here Saturday.

Interstate showhouses are the Arcadia, Strand and Rialto here; Capitol and Queen at Brownsville; Rivoli and Palace at San Benito; Ritz at Weslaco; State at Mercedes; Palace and Queen at McAllen.

Slayer Insane?

Mrs. Burleson Said Mad By Doctor

COLUMBIA, S. C.—(AP)—A city health officer who sent Mrs. May Walker Burleson to a mental institution four days after she shot and killed her former husband's second wife, testified at her murder trial here Saturday he considered her insane.

The tall, matronly, 51-year-old defendant, an artist and former suffragette leader, walked into a hotel cafeteria here March 8 and shot the second Mrs. Burleson, wife of Col. Richard C. Burleson, U. S. A., with a rusty pistol she held in a black bag.

Hitler's Armored Forces Drive Ahead To Channel; New Blitzkrieg Due Soon

Secret Weapon Will Be Used Soon, Nazis Declare; 'Great Things' Seen

By The Associated Press

BERLIN — Germany has trapped and is ready to destroy the entire attack army of France, an authorized source declared Saturday night.

The decisive Nazi military operations in The Netherlands, Belgium and Northern France, he continued, have been accomplished by just one-third of Germany's 5,000,000 first line troops.

At present, he went on, the Reich has 65 per cent of her army still unengaged and will be ready in a few days to take Paris, storm the main Maginot Line or invade England.

Backed up against the English Channel coast within the area which the Germans have encircled in the past two weeks, are 500,000 French, 400,000 Belgians and 200,000 English, this spokesman declared.

Since it can be considered, he went on, that France's attack army is gone, all she has left is 120 divisions of first line troops to defend Paris, hold the Maginot Line and to protect her southeastern flank against a possible attack by Italy from across the Alps.

The figures on Allied troops caught by Germany's encirclement movement were affirmed here by military experts who calculated that Germany had used approximately 83 of her 250 divisions of first line troops in the speedy operations by which she has absorbed all of Holland, most of Belgium and a slice of France in about two weeks.

An authoritative source estimated that one fourth of France's first line force is trapped by the Nazi encirclement.

These troops, he said, are the cream of the French army, with the best equipment, including mechanized weapons, available in the Allied armies.

Nazi Drive Turns Eastward

He went on to outline the nature of the operations and predicted an early cleanup of the trapped Allies.

Already, he recounted, the German drive which penetrated northward to Calais has turned eastward to blast a way through north of the Lille fortifications.

From Arras, in turn, a drive has been launched to sweep east and north of Lille, French industrial town within the curve of her frontier with Belgium.

This joint maneuver will bring encirclement within encirclement, which, he estimated, would cut off the bulk of British and French troops —perhaps 700,000 men—who will be "sponged up."

Further to the north a loop will be drawn outwards to Ghent to absorb the bulk of Belgium, he declared, and after that, the remainder of the trapped Allied force would be crowded up against the Channel coast and captured.

'Mopping Up' To Be Swift

Thus Belgium, like Caesar's Gaul, will be divided into three parts, enabling the Germans to carry out the age-old military maneuver—divide and destroy.

This source predicted the mopping up of the trapped Allied forces within the next few days.

And then, he continued, Germany will resort to her much-discussed "secret weapon" and in operations on an "exciting scale" will bring about "great things."

The statement on the Nazi secret weapon came from a source whose information heretofore has been well-nigh official.

As to this secret weapon, the spokesman declared, it is more important than tanks, gas, or the famed 42 centimeter Howitzer proved to be in the World War.

"On the authority of the high command of the armed forces, I say this weapon exists," he said.

New Weapon To Be Used

"It still is entirely secret. It is not gas, nor a speedboat, nor parachute troops, nor a glider, nor a flame thrower, nor troops landed from planes.

"Adolf Hitler knew he could win with this new weapon. In a few days you will see great things because that weapon is in general operation."

He declined to say whether it had been used so far in this war. It was reported widely that some secret device was used in the Nazi captur of Fort Eben Emael above Liege early in the German drive into Belgium.

Some doubt was cast on this report when a film of the capture of the fortress disclosed it had been blasted to pieces by air bombs and the heaviest artillery.

This spokesman asserted a German victory was "inevitable" for these reasons:

1. The first northern Allied army is gone because it cannot retreat.

German Moral Is Said High

2. German morale is high because of constant successes, superior weapons and air force.
3. The Maginot Line no longer is a problem since Germany already is in a position to get behind it.
4. The "new weapon."

As soon as the encircled area is cleaned up, he continued, the German army will have one-third of its forces freed from this task to join the balance of the army with three possible courses:

1. To attack southward and envelope Paris and the French army.
2. To turn east and drive behind the Maginot Line.
3. To attack Great Britain.

The spokesman declined to say which course was scheduled first.

During the day's operations Germany tightened her ring of steel around the Allied armies in Flanders' flatlands.

French Attacks Declared Weak

Dive-bombing Stukas attacked the English Channel ports of Dieppe, Ostend, Dunkerque and Blakenberghe to block the landing of British reinforcements. The French attempt to slash through to their beleaguered Allies was described here as "weak."

At his battlefront headquarters, Adolf Hitler was believed nearing another decision—whether to hurl his blitzkrieg at once into England, or carry the war south to Paris.

German battle maps pictured the noose around the British as tightened by two-thirds within 48 hours, with these new gains:

1. Advance patrols from the thrust up the English Channel entered Calais, 22 miles from England, and battled with Allied defenders in the streets.
2. Troops that broke the Scheldt River defense line smashed on east over the Lys River—Belgium's last natural barrier.
3. Spearheads from the northeast and southeast menaced industrial Lille—fortified since 1030—which changed hands three times in the opening months of the World War. The advance from the southeast drove over part of Vimy Ridge.

With the pace of invasion speeded in apparent disregard of the cost in men and materials, German sources said the position of the trapped British and Belgian forces seemed hopeless.

Calais, although not yet claimed as fallen, was reported rendered useless for British landing operations. Throughout the World War the Allies doggedly held Calais as the principal avenue for landing men and arms from Britain.

Some patrols were said to have circled Calais toward Gravelines, the next port northeast.

Military spokesmen added that the German air force was "capable of cutting off every possibility of retreat" from the last avenues of escape—Dunkuerque, Ostend and Zeebrugge.

BRITISH PREPARE FOR EXPECTED NAZI ATTACK

Boys Under Conscription Age Called Up; Effect Of Dictatorial System Felt

Factories To Work Full Time This Sunday For First Time Since World War

LONDON—(AP)—Britain, jarred into militancy from its centuries-old groove of ease and empire, called Saturday night upon its peace-born generation, boys of 18 to 19½, to fill the gaps in home defense forces against the danger of invasion.

The war office asked for volunteers from the age groups just under the conscription range after German bombs thumped on English soil over a 200-mile stretch of coast and while German guns echoed from just across the channel.

Recruits gathered by Saturday night's call will have to enlist for the duration of the war in home defense battalions. When they reach the conscription age of 20, however, they will be transferred to training units for service in the field army, wherever it may be. Now it is fighting with the French and Belgians in Flanders.

The volunteers for home defense battalions are distinct from the thousands who are enlisting as "parashoots" to defend Britain against parachute invaders.

The leaders of Britain's new dictatorial system, who have pledged the nation to fight to the last gun, the last sovereign and the last man, also turned intense pressure upon organized labor.

Prime Minister Winston Churchill, in a letter to the trades union executive council, demanded a "supreme effort" by workers to defend the country and win the war, telling them of the gravity of the situation "deepens hour by hour."

Conscription Endorsed

The conference endorsed the nation's conscription of labor and

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property and promised the army the work would be forthcoming to make "the arms and munitions you need."

The labor ministry set up a supply board to mobilize industrial manpower under the totalitarian law, adopted this week.

The change from a nation of quiet green fields and peaceful towns becomes complete on Sunday, when Britain works and prays. For the first time since the World War, factories will hum on full schedule while churchgoers, at the express command of their king, implore God for a victorious peace.

That will be the first real effect of the totalitarian legislation of last week which uprooted tradition and put every Briton and all he owns at the command of the endangered state.

Visible Precautions

More visible and audible are the precautions against invasion, the calling up of the two-millionth man, scores of arrests which have resulted from the government's drive on "fifth columnists," harsh censorship which takes away the news of the mighty battle of Flanders, and calls from the nation's leadership for "confidence."

Saturday military men described the situation on the channel edge of the continent as "very grave and very confused" but held out hope that a joint Allied action would beat back Germany's iron cavalry and rip apart the base of the Reichswehr salient which stretches across northern France to the Straits of Dover.

With ammunition and airplane factories working throughout the weekend with the greatest activity of the war, 326,259 more men were called to arms to aid the hard-pressed British expeditionary force and fill the ranks of the navy and Royal Air Force.

Over 2,000,000 Mobilized

This registration of 27-year-olds pushed the number of men under mobilization past the 2,000,000 mark.

Early morning German bombings from the North Riding (district) of Yorkshire to East Anglia and Essex covered more than 200 miles of English coast, injuring 11 civilians and awakening the nation fully to awareness it is bearing the weight of war.

While the Yorkshire bombings were believed aimed at steel factories, the raids further south were considered intended to shake the English morale, but there was no sign of the loss of quiet confidence that is the hall-mark of the Briton.

Deprived by a new censorship edict of even the names of places where his army is fighting, the man in the street accepted the situation with the view, "there's a big battle on at last and the French are going to give 'em what-for. When it comes, the news will be good."

"Local defence volunteers" flocked from towns and farms by the thousands to give their spare time as "parashoots" against German parachutists.

By nightfall it was estimated nearlyt 400,000 had registered.

LEAVING SUNDAY

MISSION — Mrs. J. S. Rodwell of Fort Bliss, El Paso, leaves Sunday to return home after a visit of several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Drummond, in Rio Grande City and with other relatives in Mission, her former home.

Valley Memorial Services To Be Staged

OBITUARY

G. DE LA VINA

EDINBURG—Gustavo de la Vina, 27, member of a pioneer Edinburg family, died here Saturday at 4:35 p. m. after a long illness.

De la Vina had been a teacher at Roosevelt school, McAllen, the past four years. He was born in Edinburg in 1912, was graduated from the local high school, received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Texas A. and I. College, and later attended National University at Mexico City.

Funeral services will be held here from the Buen Pastor Methodist church, Sunday, at 5 p. m., with Rev. Raul Salizar officiating. Burial will be at Hillcrest Memorial Park, under direction of Skinner's Mortuary.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. de la Vina; the wife, Mrs. Irma de la Vina; a son, Gustavo, Jr.; three brothers, Juan, Jose and Robert de la Vina; two sisters, Misses Irene and Ernestine de la Vina; and other relatives, all of Edinburg.

CHARLES T. A. HOWE

BROWNSVILLE—Charles T. A. Howe, 55, died here at 1:30 a. m. Saturday after a short illness. The body will be forwarded to Greenfield, Mass., for burial, by Darling Funeral Home.

Mr. Howe had resided in Brownsville for two years and nine months. He was an agent here for the La Salle Extension University, and operated a small cigar store on Elizabeth street.

Surviving him here is the widow, Mrs. Roberta B. Howe.

FOXY FURS—Valued at $4,000, this collarless hip-length spring jacket designed by Dein-Bacher has four platina fox skins worked together to emphasize spine line markings. Reverse treatment in sleeves eliminates shaggy shoulders.

DAR Rio Grande Chapter Luncheon Is Scheduled

McALLEN—As the last business meeting of the club season members of the Rio Grande Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will lunch Monday at 12:30 p.m. at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

The season will be formally closed June 14 at the annual Flag Day breakfast in which all Valley chapters will participate.

Mrs. J. G. Decker will report on good citizenship awards distributed by the chapter among outstanding high school graduates recently.

Installation of officers will complete the program feature.

ATTEND GRADUATION

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Benavides, Sr., left Saturday night by rail for Mexia to visit Dr. and Mrs. S. I. Benavides, Jr., there. They will go to Commerce on Monday to attend graduation exercises at East Texas State Teachers College where a son, Anthony Albert Benavides, will receive the degree of bachelor of arts.

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Weygand Organizing New Defenses

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a junction and cut off the German salient.

Between the main Allied forces, their advance guards struck again and again into the German spearhead thrust westward to the sea and pointed toward the British Isles.

Communications Harassed

The Allied advance units harassed the German line of communication.

The outcome of the Flanders battle depends on the Allied effort to close the breach and pocket the Germans on the coast.

The gap between the northern and central Allied armies, originally described as extending from the Somme to Arras, now is bounded by the Peronne and Bapaume sectors.

The northern Allied force consists of French, British and Belgian (here one word was censored) troops holding a 170-mile line starting (here another word was censored) somewhere in Belgium and circling south and west through Valenciennes, Cambrai, Bapaume and St. Omer to the sea.

The central French army maintained a 200-mile front on the Somme and Aisne Rivers across Northern French. (Here four lines were censored).

The Germans fought on a winner-take-all basis along the Channel coast, running the risk of complete disaster if they should fail to consolidate their corridor position.

Until now the light mechanized German forces and infantry had formed the spearhead. The movement of heavy forces from the rear indicated the crucial struggles was near.

House Guest Is Honored By Coffee

RIO GRANDE CITY—Mrs. James S. Rodwell of Fort Bliss, guest this month of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Drummond, was named honoree at a coffee given Wednesday morning by Mrs. Bascom A. Spillar and Mrs. John H. Clopton at the Spillar home.

Vases of marigolds and pastel gladiolas were used in the living room while the centerpiece of the refreshment table was a silver vase of giant zinnias. The table, covered with an embroidered grass linen cloth, was set with silver and crystal service. Mrs. Wm. Drummond and Mrs. J. S. Leonard served.

The guests included Mrs. McFarland Cockrill, Mrs. Wm. Geo. McKay, Mrs. Richard H. Darrell, Mrs. O. D. Wells, Mrs. Chas. V. Bromley, Mrs. Thomas D. Roberts, Mrs. Dan Searcy, and Mrs. Melton, all of Fort Ringgold, and Mrs. Drummond, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. Florence J. Scott, Mrs. Fred A. Hornaday, Jr., and Misses Shirley Brooks and Robin Brooks.

Mrs. E. E. Daughtrey entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club this week at her home in Roma when Mrs. Frank Lockhead and Mrs. Theo Carr were guests. Mrs. H. M. Wood, and Mrs. G. I. McWhorter were winners of high scores.

A salad course was served.

Las Palmas Bridge Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John A. Pope, Jr. High scores were won by Mrs. Pope and Mrs. Keach and refreshments of salad and cake were served.

Shower Courtesy Honors Mrs. Rowlen

RANGERVILLE—Mrs. H. B. Rowlen was honored with a shower given this week at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. D. Minor. Games and contests were enjoyed in a setting that noted the pink and blue theme and refreshments were served.

Enjoying the afternoon with the honoree were Mesdames Morris Holbert, C. H. Holbert, C. L. Kaigler, S. T. Minor, H. F. Minor, Mike Buffo, S. B. Izard, J. L. Izard, Wilborn Peters, J. M. Passmore, and E. C. Wallace and Miss Jemma Buffo.

Gives Senior Recital

DENTON—Miss Arnetta Stewart of Brownsville, music education major and student of piano, gave her senior recital Monday evening. Miss Stewart opened her program with Beethoven's "Sonata Opus 10, No. 3" and two of Brahms' compositions. Following "Footsteps in the Snow" and "Garden in the Rain" by Debussy, Miss Stewart played an original composition, "Brownsville Herald."

Graduates Honored

MISSION — Graduating members of the Dunlap Club were honored Wednesday evening with a dancing party when the club entertained at the home of Miss Dorothy Balthrope.

We can usually struggle along without most of the things we want.

Oklahoma Students Given 2,000 Mile Trip As Graduation Present; Enjoy Valley Tour

Delighted with borderland were the students of New Liberty Consolidated School, located near Sayre, in western Oklahoma, who paused in Brownsville Saturday while on a 2,000-mile trip that had carried them as far west as New Mexico.

Group Of 22 Spends Saturday In Surf At Del Mar

BROWNSVILLE — Visiting the Valley is just about as fine a graduation present as anyone could want, New Liberty Consolidated school students of Sayre, Okla., opined Saturday.

Traveling in an ordinary school bus, the Oklahomans paused here on a 2,000-mile odyssey that had carried them as far west as Carlsbad, N. M., and the Pecos.

They crossed the Mexican border three times: Del Rio, Laredo and Brownsville.

And on Saturday, the students headed their bus to Del Mar beach, along the Gulf of Mexico coast, to bathe in the surf and catch-up with the sun tan.

The entire trip cost them very little. The operating expenses were paid from money earned the past school year out of plays, cake walks and other projects.

They left Sayre last Monday, and expect to return possibly Monday night. The group, which included 22 students and four adults, spent Friday night at Palm Courts here

Spending the same night at Palm Courts was another traveling student party. The second group, which included 22, hailed from Fairy, Texas. They headed northward early Saturday.

The New Liberty school group, which doesn't plan to leave the Valley until Sunday, is chaperoned by M. E. Fariss, superintendent, and Mrs. Fariss; L. L. Weaver, school board member, and Mrs. J. C. Landtroop.

Kentcky Man Earns Summer Living By Combing Floor Of Large River For Lost Logs; Soaking Improves

AP Feature Service

BOONEVILLE, Ky.—John Littrell earns a summer livelihood combing the floor of the Kentucky River for lost logs.

The logs were lost many years ago off rafts when the stream was a busy lumber trade channel. The years under water have improved some types, particularly white oak which hardens with each under-water year. Softer woods—pine and sycamore—soften, and walnut shales off if soaked too long.

Littrell began his strange "fishing" business after his enterprises as a river huckster and coal collier ended in 1925.

The first step is to locate logs. This is done from barges pushed by a rugged tow-boat Littrell built. This particular phase of operation is called "proguing."

The crew uses a 20 to 30-foot length of pine. One end is a spike with which the operator attempts to pierce the high spot on the log.

Then with another pipe, filed down to a sharp edge, the proguer plugs the log, much as one would a watermelon. From the plug, about an inch and a half in diameter, the type of wood is determined. If the log is deemed worth raising, then the real work begins.

The log is speared by a spud, or harpoon, the shank end of which fits into a length of pipe. A cable, attached to a windlass, passes through a hole in the center of the spud, just below the collar, and by this means the log is raised.

Then after the log has been brought to the surface, it is 'worried" to the nearest bank to remain until Littrell picks it up on his return trip at the end of summer operations and brings it to his sawmill near this little Owsley county town in eastern Kentucky.

The log-salvaging business isn't as profitable as it once was. Influx of cheaper lumber to compete with Littrell's seasoned oak has cut into his market.

Alumni Association Gift To School From Elsa-Edcouch Graduates

EDCOUCH—As a gift from the graduating class to the Edcouch-Elsa high school, seniors sponsored organization of an alumni organization at a banquet held this week at the high school cafeteria. Members of the class of '40 were hosts. Spring blossoms in multi colors decorated the hall.

Bob Hughes, president of the Senior class, was toastmaster and also was chairman when the organization was carried out. The following officers were named:

Floyd Saufferer, president; Curtis McClaugherty, secretary; Corenne Burke, Kathlyn Mitchell, Bob Hughes, Elnora Gafner and Lowell McClaugherty, program committee.

Annual meeting date was set for a few days after Christmas in order that all ex-students might attend the annual gatherings.

Roll call of classes from 1935 to 1939 was carried out. Clovis Shepherd accompanied by Julia Hill played saxophone solos. Bob Hughes made the talk presenting the Alumni Association as a gift and Supt. Joe Wilson accepted in behalf of Edcouch-Elsa high school graduates, past and future.

Ex - students who were guests included: Elizabeth Yarbro, Elsa, Frances Gilman, Edcouch, Mrs. Florence Molder, Edinburg; Fairy Lee Minyard, Edcouch; Evelyn Murray, Elsa; Earline Willeford, Edcouch; T. L. George, La Villa; Dorothy Moore, Kathlyn and June Mitchell, Opal Hughes, Elnora Gafner, and Earline Thomas, Edcouch; Janett Lugg, Garnet Bell, Edna Merriman, Elsa; Ruth Vittetoe, Edcouch, Rowena Sims, Edinburg, Louise Peterson, Edinburg; Maurice Faidley, Curtis McClaugherty, Floyd Saufferer, Charles Williams.

Faculty guests included Mary Alice Gay and Hoke McKim, senior class sponsors, Supt. Joe H. Wilson, C. A. Whittle, Mrs. Fern Lane; and Miss Elizabeth Gilbert.

Members of the graduating class who were present were:

Julia Hill, Corenne Burke, Shirley Beaver, Marjie Graves, Marie Nattinger, Ruth Overhue, Sarah Williams, Bob Hughes, Raybon Thomas, Lowell McClaugherty, John D. Brown, James Roser, Collins Stovall, Melvin Odom.

CLINIC OPENS IN HARLINGEN

Dysentery Toll Is Placed At 44

HARLINGEN—As doctors estimated a known 44 had died from the effects of a dysentery epidemic prevalent here since early April, the city made plans Saturday to stamp out the plague.

Mayor Hugh Ramsey said a clinic will open Monday at 2 p.m. at the Alamo school on F street, for sick children of parents who cannot afford to buy medicine or services of doctors.

Meanwhile a survey, although only partially completed, had shown "a considerable number of cases" in Latin American quarters, and Mayor Ramsey said every effort would be made to stamp out the dysentery.

Plans were also afoot to provide sleeping places for babies protected with screen wire, the work to be done by NYA labor. This plan was to be carried out on the assumption that existence of the dysentery might be connected with prevalence of flies and other insects in unscreened houses.

Clinic at the Alamo school is to be opened with the cooperation of the city, doctors, nurses, and the Latin American Garden Club group. Ramsey urged all those who cannot afford to pay for medical treatment to take advantage of the clinic, and said for those unable to be moved help would be sent from the clinic.

TO LEAVE MONDAY

EDINBURG—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Oliver and Neville Haynes plan to leave Monday for Alpine where Mr. and Mrs. Oliver will visit for two weeks and Neville will spend the summer. Neville plans to attend New Mexico A. and M. College at Messilla Park, New Mexico, next fall.

Texas Golf Pros Seek Big Purse

BEAUMONT—(AP)—Texas' professional golfers will be shooting for $3,000 in prize money in the annual state PGA Open tournament at the Beaumont Country Club July 12 and 13.

The PGA test will be preceded by a pro-amateur tournament on July 11 and will be followed by the annual Texas Cup matches on July 14 between the state's leading pro and amateur teams.

The first 36 holes of the 72-hole PGA Open play on July 12 also will serve as the qualifying of Texas' professionals for the National PGA tournament. In this first round pros and amateurs will be segregated in pairings.

For the final 36 holes on July 13 the pros and amateurs will be grouped in threesomes according to scores in the opening round.

In the Texas Cup matches, doubles will be played in the morning and singles in the afternoon. The pro team will be comprised of 10 low scorers in the qualifying round for the National PGA. The 10 amateur opponents will be selected by the amateurs themselves and sports writers.

All members of the Texas PGA and amateurs with a handicap of five or less are eligible for the Open tournament.

Gay Cruise Setting In "'Til We Meet Again"

A ship was docking at Honolulu and a gay welcoming crowd was on hand. Men and women, some of them decorated with flowers, all wearing bright colored leis about their necks, waved and shouted greetings.

Apparently it was the haphazard, joyous confusion of a ship's arrival. Actually, it was the well ordered maneuvering of a motion picture company. "Honolulu" was the boat deck setting at Warner Bros. studio. The arrival scene was being filmed for the picture "'Til We Meet Again."

The men and women wearing the gay colored leis know exactly what they were supposed to do, and when they were supposed to do it. All but one of them—a dark haired slip of a girl dressed in white. She seemed lost. She'd start one way, then turn and run in the other direction.

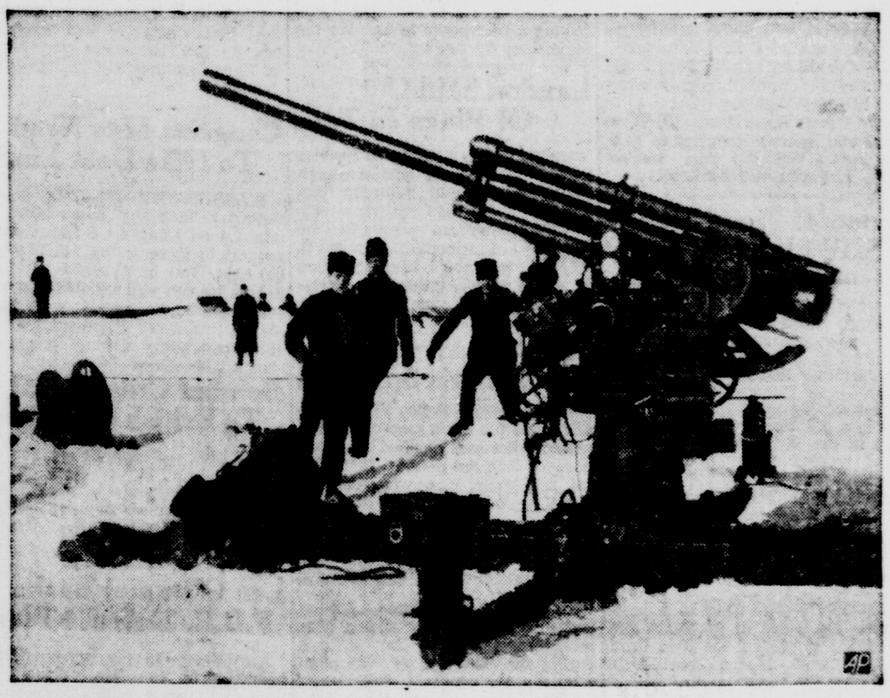
"That little girl in white worries me," a tall atmosphere actor confided to a companion. "She's all mixed up, and if somebody doesn't put her wise, the director is liable to crack down on her."

His companion looked at him oddly. "You're new to this company aren't you? Well, I wouldn't worry about that little girl. She's Merle Oberon, the star of the picture."

Valley Youth Plans To Visit In Valley

EDINBURG — Terry B. Bentley, who is a student at Harvard University is to arrive in early June to visit his mother, Mrs. Terry Bentley, and attend the wedding of his sister, Ruth, and Cecil Roberts of Pharr.

Mr. Bentley will sail from New York June 14 to conduct a tour in South America, principally in Buenos Aires, Rio de Janeiro, and Montevideo. He will receive his master's degree from the Harvard school of law and diplomacy this year and will study for his doctor's degree at the University of Texas next year.



SWEDEN SCANS THE SKIES—"Watch and wait" is the motto of Sweden, and here's an anti-aircraft gun near Visby on the island of Gotland, which lies south of capital, Stockholm.

WEEK TO SEE WAR DEAD OF AREA HONORS

Similar Events Are Set Thursday

HARLINGEN — Memory of war dead will be honored by Valley citizens at programs to be held during the coming week, some services being scheduled Sunday while others will be held Thursday, Memorial Day.

The Hidalgo County Forty and Eight is sponsoring a memorial service for war dead at the People's Church in San Juan at 11 a. m. Sunday. Legionnaires will enter the church in a body at 10:50 a. m. Rev. Beaty Smith, pastor, will preach a memorial sermon and there will be special music from a 20 voice choir and solos from H. D. Munal.

Weslaco legionnaires plan to attend services in a body Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian Church where Rev. Archie Reed, the pastor, is a war veteran.

Illustrated Sermon

Another Sunday memorial service will be that conducted at the Four Square Gospel Church on the highway east of Donna. Rev. C. O. Jefcoat, the pastor, said that Rev. Elsie Jefcoat, co-pastor and known as "the little preacher" will give an illustrated sermon on "Lest We Forget." Children in costumes will have part in a preliminary service.

Mercedes will be active both Sunday and Thursday. All members of the legion and auxiliary will attend services at the First Methodist Church Sunday morning when Rev. J. W. Albritten will preach on the subject, "Have They Died In Vain?" The services begin at 10:30 a. m.

All ex-service men and auxiliary members at Mercedes will meet at the city hall at 9:15 a. m. and go in a body to the various cemeteries for decorating graves of war dead. Rev. Charles Tucker, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, assisted by Dr. G. G. Eddy, legion post chaplain, will be in charge of the services at the grave. An American flag will be placed on the grave of each dead veteran.

State Senator Rogers Kelley of Edinburg will address the annual Memorial Day gathering in McAllen next Thursday morning, officials of the American Legion post announced Saturday.

The entire program this year will be conducted at Rose Lawn cemetery, instead of at a local church and at the cemetery too, Rev. Fred Hamner and O. C. Emory, members of the arrangements committee for the observance, revealed.

The program will open at 9:30 a. m., with the high school band providing music during the assembly period. The group will sing the national anthem, and Rev. Hamner will offer the invocation. Bill Doyle of McAllen will offer a vocal solo, and Rev. J. Beaty Smith of San Juan will read "Flanders Field."

Rep. Homer Leonard of McAllen will introduce Sen. Kelley for the principal address.

After the address, the Legion post's firing squad, of which H. H. Rothe is captain, will fire a salute to the veterans of all wars who are buried at Rose Lawn.

To Decorate Graves

Decoration of the graves will follow, with members of the local Sons of the Legion squadron taking wreaths to the marked graves of war dead. The youths will stand at the graves while taps are sounded.

Business firms will close their doors for observance of Memorial Day at Mission where Fred H. Morgan Post of the American Legion and its auxiliary will conduct a program at the legion hall at 10 a.m., followed by a service at Laurel Hill cemetery at 11 a. m. Graves will be decorated. The public is invited.

San Benito legionnaires hope to inaugurate a series of annual Sunday church services in memory of war dead. A special program has been arranged for the morning service Sunday at the First Methodist Church. Legionnaires and others will attend in a body. The war veterans also will decorate the graves of war dead Thursday.

Brunch Bridge Alamo Event

ALAMO—Mrs. M. Mannering assisted by her daughter, Marie, entertained with a brunch bridge Thursday morning in honor of her daughter, Glen. The guests were classmates of the honoree in the graduating class. The class colors of blue and white were carried out with blue plumago and shasta daisies placed about the rooms and on the snowy breakfast table.

The guest list included Misses Alta Marie Smith, Betty Platt, Louise Sorensen of San Juan, Ella Beth Melton, Ruth Elizabeth Bolling, Erline Murphy, Eva Lucas, Ida Frances Farris of Pharr and Janette Van Denbark, Mary Louise Kastler, Lois Cowley and Glen Mannering of Alamo.

Lois Cowley received high score award and Louise Sorensen second high.

Charles C. Sperry of the Texas Predatory Animal Control Association, after studying the food habits of crippled coyotes, says that two of the maimed creatures will destroy as much livestock as three sound coyotes.

Mexico Officers Seek To Discover Armed Band After Trotsky Attack

'BAD PICTURE'

Testimnoy of Rear Admiral John H. Towers, shown above on stand, chief of U. S. Naval Aeronautics, before a Senate naval committee, brought sharp debate over possible suppression of a "very bad picture." The group finally released testimony showing that of the Navy's 1367 combat planes, only 192 were less than one year old.

REVOLUTION MOVEMENT IS NOT BREWING

Inspection Tour Of State Is Made

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—Spurred by the direct orders of President Cardenas, the capital's police and detective forces Saturday focused all their resources on rounding up the machinegun band which made a spectacular attempt on the life of Leon Trotsky, former war commissar of Soviet Russia.

Police authorities reported they had found no clues to the identity of the group of more than 20 men who broke into Trotsky's walled-home in nearby Coyoacan Friday and, fleeing after the attempt, kidnaped one of the exile's secretary-guards, Sheldon Harte, of New York City.

Examination of Trotsky's bomb-blasted garden and bullet-riddled bedroom, where he and his wife had huddled on the floor during the attack, had produced no tangible evidence, the police said.

Taking up Trotsky's charge that "Joseph Stalin was directly responsible," conservative political circles declared the bold crime was conclusive proof that a Nazi-Communist fifth column was operating in Mexico.

Some federal deputies said they feared it meant a reign of terror was about to be initiated in the country, while a Communist leader declared it was a plot of reactionary domestic and foreign interests to discredit Mexico.

WAR DEPARTMENT BACKS CAMACHO FOR PRESIDENT

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— General Felipe Rico, chief of staff of the War Department, reported Saturday that confidential army missions had just returned from inspection tours of every state in the republic with word that there was no evidence a "large-scale revolutionary movement" was brewing.

On the contrary, General Rico asserted, the officers comprising the missions said the people at large indicated they would support the pro-government candidate, General Manuel Avila Camacho, because he represented continuation of President Cardenas progressive administration.

Agents Said 'Active'

In an interview, the chief of staff also minimized the possibility that a "fifth column" of Nazi-Communist agents could foment a serious disturbance of Mexico's internal peace.

General Rico, who is in charge of the War Department's military intelligence division, agreed that agents "of all powers" were active in Mexico because of the "strategic importance" of the nation's proximity to the United States and to the Panama Canal.

But he insisted that the army had the situation "fully under control and that there is no concern that any of this activity will reach the point of endangering the United States or any other country in this hemisphere."

"The future of Mexico is linked with the future of the United States and of the other American nations," he declared.

Loyal to Government

It was learned the military intelligence division had several alleged German-Russian operatives under surveillance, but that none had been apprehended.

In discussing the army's determination to check any foreign inspired uprising in Mexico, General Rico also emphasized that the army was "united behind and loyal to the government" and could be relied upon to discharge any task that might confront it this summer.

Concurring in the widespread opinion that the July presidential elections might be followed by armed disturbances, General Rico declared that if they occurred they would be "sporadic and quickly crushed."

ADMITS THEFTS

Natalie Savage, above, 28, was arrested on a Santa Monica, Calif., street corner, and admitted to police, they said, that she committed several burglaries and forgeries at the behest of Marion Vincent Marche Goddard, 28, self-styled mystic of Hollywood. Goddard, his wife and another young woman have been arrested in the case.

DEATH ORDER FACES DELAY

Martinez Mandate Fails To Arrive

EDINBURG—Scheduled pronouncement of the death sentence upon Ascension (Chon) Martinez, one of several defendants in the celebrated "Donna murder case," was delayed here Saturday when the state court of criminal appeals' mandate failed to arrive.

The district attorney's office received unofficial reports that Kennedy Smith, attorney for Martinez, has filed a motion for stay of mandate before the state court. The motion may be acted upon during the coming week. Smith seeks to appeal the case to the United States Supreme Court.

Since the Austin court last Wednesday ruled against a motion for rehearing in the case, local court attaches expected the mandate for sentence to arrive Saturday, in which case Martinez would have heard his death ordered in criminal district court here, where he was originally convicted.

Martinez is the second of six defendants accused of murdering an unidentified man and woman on the banks of the Rio Grande below Donna in December, 1934, after each of the men had criminally attacked the woman. The first to be convicted, Placido Handy, has been sentenced to death in the electric chair at Huntsville June 10.

One of the other four defendants turned state's witness and was granted immunity. He is Jose Rodriguez. Others awaiting trial are Braulio Yanez, Emiliano Martinez and Bonifacio Martinez. The latter two are brothers of Ascencion. A seventh defendant was never captured.

LEGION HITS 'MINUTE MEN'

Unit Held Contrary To Constitution

McALLEN—Members of the McAllen American Legion post issued a formal statement Saturday publicly denying any connection with the "Minute Men organization" recently formed here.

In a resolution passed at Friday night's regular meeting, the Legion termed organization of the Minute Men "contrary to the principles" of the American constitution.

Formation of the Minute Men to guard the city during the time of an emergency or as a defense measure was launched the past week by the local Veterans of Foreign Wars post.

The Legion's resolution follows:

"Whereas, the constitution of the American Legion provides that this organization shall uphold and defend the constitution of the United States, maintain law and order and perpetuate a 100 per cent Americanism;

"And whereas, certain incidents have recently taken place in this community that are contrary to these principles;

"Therefore, be it resolved, that this organization, reaffirm our desire to cooperate with any legally constituted authority to maintain those principles of democracy as provided in the constitution of the United States.

Clean-Up

Boy Scouts To Aid Census Drive

BROWNSVILLE—More than 100 Boy Scouts, members of four Brownsville troops, will launch a house-to-house check-up Monday to determine if any persons have not been enumerated by census-takers, it was announced Saturday at the chamber of commerce.

In addition to the Boy Scouts, other persons will also take part in the final "clean-up" drive aimed at assuring that Brownsville gets its full count in the current census.

The chamber of commerce is posting $25 in prizes for the Boy Scouts. The troop which turns in the greatest number of names will get $10 in cash, the troop with second largest number $7.50, third $5 and fourth $2.50.

Sweden Is Warned To Be On Her Guard

STOCKHOLM—(AP)—Mighty nations are using "all possible means to gain their ends" and Sweden must be prepared to resist any attempt to violate her liberty, Defense Minister P. E. Skold declared Saturday night.

The minister addressed a huge open air meeting to promote raising of a 500,000,000 kroner (about $120,000,000) defense plan.

Two Presbyterian Churches To Meet

MERCEDES — The Presbyterian churches of Weslaco and Mercedes will join in a meeting at 6 p.m. Sunday in the grove on the north shore of Lake Progreso, for a musical program of special numbers.

The principal speaker will be Miss Cichran of San Benito, a noted naturalist of San Benito. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

British Ship With Refugees Said Lost

LONDON—(AP)—A British trawler with its crew and "many Belgian refugees" is feared lost as a result of enemy action while en route to England, an authoritative source source said Friday night. It was said the loss of life was not known.

Swine Show

McAllen To Sponsor Summer Exhibit

McALLEN—A Hidalgo County swine show will be held here this summer, probably in connection with the annual 4-H Club encampment, Ed McGinnis, chamber of commerce agricultural committee chairman, announced Saturday.

W. H. Gardner, assistant county farm agent, will cooperate in staging the show. Gardner plans to hold an encampment of about 150 farm club boys here in the late summer and McGinnis proposes to use some funds left from the Dairy Day, contribted by the Rotary, Lions and Kiwanis clubs, for prizes in the hog show. Details will be worked out at a later date. The McAllen chamber and farm agent's office conducted a swine show at McAllen two years ago.

Port Isabel's Sea Scouts Have Bridge

PORT ISABEL—Sea Scouts held a bridge of honor at the elementary school house last week. Those receiving badges were: Apprentice rank, Jack Hickman, Dee McKay, Roy Green, and Ernesto Silguerro. Ordinary rank, Morris Nesmith, James and Fred LaRoche, Herbert Williams, Juan Tamayo, and Joe Henry Brown. E. W. Cateora reached able rank. Merit badges were, cooking and seamanship to E. W. Cateora; cooking to Joe Henry Brown.

One Of Four

Mrs. Taylor Holds Unusual Post

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Volney W. Taylor, chairman of the Housing Authority of the City of Brownsville, is one of four women who head housing authorities in the United States, a national USHA magazine revealed Saturday.

Of the four U. S. women who are chairmen of housing authorities, two of them are Texans, it was said.

The women chairmen, besides Mrs. Taylor, are: Mrs. Otto Nordwald, El Paso; Mrs. Ruby Black, Lamar county, Miss., and Mrs. Blanche Cronin, Hamtranck, Mich.

"Although women housing authority chairmen total only four out of more than 415, still to mothers, teachers, nurses, clubwomen and others throughout the nation belongs much of the credit for the success of the public housing movement," the article stated.

Mrs. Taylor, for a long time, was the only woman housing chairman in the United States.

Texas' BPW Groups To Become Of Age

DALLAS—(AP)—The Texas Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs comes of age next month when it gathers here for its annual convention 21 years after its founding.

Eight hundred women are expected for the meeting June 7, 8 and 9, representing a membership which has grown to 3,600 in 88 clubs. When the federation was organized, five clubs, representing Dallas, Fort Worth, El Paso, Houston and Austin, were included.

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Two Valley Youths Will Take Vows

Priesthood Rites To Be Read June 2

McALLEN—For the first time in the history of McAllen and Mission, two young men will be ordained into the priesthood of the Roman Catholic church June 2 in the chapel of Our Lady of the Lake College at San Antonio.

Rev. Emmett Lee Walsh, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Walsh of McAllen, and Rev. John Leo Busch,

EMMETT LEE WALSH

24, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Busch of Mission, two in a class of eight to receive the last in the church's sacrament of holy orders, are the first young men ever to be ordained to the Catholic priesthood from their respective cities.

Their ordination in the Congregation of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate marks the finals of 12 years of preparatory study which covered the field of Catholic theology, history of the church and the state and logic, science and scores of related subjects.

Father Walsh and Father Busch will read their first mass at the chapel of the monastery of Our Lady of Charity at San Antonio, Monday, June 3.

Father Walsh will sing his first solemn high mass at Sacred Heart church here Sunday, June 9, at 10 a.m. Rev. Charles Webb, O. M. I., of Our Lady of the Lake college, will be deacon; Father Edward Murray of St. Anthony's college, San Antonio, will be sub-deacon; Father Frank Kilday, arch priest;

JOHN LEO BUSCH

Father John Busch, master of ceremonies; and Father Burns of St. Anthony's college will preach the sermon.

Father Busch will read his first mass in the chapel of the De Mazenod scholasticate, sub-deacon; 3, and on Tuesday will sing his first solemn high mass at St. Paul's Catholic Church in Mission at 9:30 a.m. with Father Emil Platte, pastor, arch-priest; Father Chatillon of Mercy hospital, Brownsville, deacon; Brother Herbert Hooks of De Mazenod scholasticate ,sub-deacon; and Father Antoine of Harlingen, speaker.

At 1 p.m. of the day Father Busch sings his first high mass, a banquet will be held at the parish hall in Mission for visiting priests and relatives. A reception for his friends will get under way at the home of his parents, south of Mission, from 7 p.m. until 10 p.m. of the same day.

Father Walsh will be presented at a reception at the Casa de Palmas Hotel June 9.

Trials Slated

Donna Murder Case Will Be Heard

EDINBURG—Trials of four other defendants in the Donna "river murder case" will be set in 92nd criminal district court "as soon as practicable," District Attorney Tom Hartley said Thursday.

Texas court of criminal appeals Wednesday denied a motion for rehearing in the conviction of Ascension (Chon) Martinez, second of the defendants to be convicted, sentenced to death and the sentence affirmed by the highest criminal court of the state. The first was Placido Handy, now awaiting execution in the death house at the Texas penitentiary. He is to be electrocuted June 10.

Kennedy Smith, Raymondville, attorney for Martinez, said he intended to take the case "as far as possible" on appeal, to the United States Supreme Court if necessary.

'Super Explosive' Fails To Bother Any Of Tethered Goats

BARLOW SAYS FAILURE HAD TO BE PROVED

Flop Is Admitted By Its Inventor

ABERDEEN, Md.—(AP)—Inventor Lester P. Barlow's liquid oxygen-carbon "super explosive" apparently failed as an instrument of death in a test of live goats at Aberdeen proving grounds Saturday.

A 1,000-pound charge of the explosive which Barlow had claimed radiated lethal "vacuum waves" over a wide radius failed to kill a single one of a herd of 98 goats tethered at distances ranging from 200 to 1,000 feet from the point where the bomb was set off.

Observers who went out on the testing field after the explosion said they could not find one dead goat and Barlow admitted the experiment had flopped.

'Had To Find Out'

"I'm licked on it," he said, "but I had to try it to find out."

One big black goat in the line closest to the point of the explosion escaped unscathed. Not even his whiskers were singed.

Col. B. O. Lewis, executive officer in charge of the demonstration, said veterinarians who examined the goats afterwards could find no visible effects of shock.

The bomb consisted of 300 pounds of carbon and 700 pounds of liquid oxygen, contained in a sack hoisted 30 feet up from a pole forming a hub around which the goats were tethered.

Slight Concussion Felt

Barlow detonated it with an electric charge from a half mile away and the explosive went off with a roar. Military men, congressional committeemen and newsmen, also half a mile away, felt a slight concussion.

The blast ripped away the top of the pole and tore a small hole in the ground, but it didn't faze the goats.

Senator Morris Sheppard (D-Tex) chairman of the Senate military affairs committee, said:

"I don't think that the test was conclusive. It will have to be done in a metal container."

Musical Work

McAllen's Orchestra Plans Meeting

McALLEN—The Little Symphony Orchestra of the Rio Grande Valley, latest McAllen cultural group, will hold its meetings every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at the Schwingel Studio instead of the Thursday schedule, followed during the winter.

As their summer project, the orchestra is practicing on Beethoven's Symphony and plans to present a concert, its first, this fall.

In the absence of Miss Roberta Parks, attending summer school at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, Miss Betty Jo Langston will act as secretary.

Herman Wren is president of the orchestra and E. Graham vice president.

Donna Legion Hits Subversive Actions

DONNA—Border Post 107 American Legion of Donna went on record regarding subversive activities at the regular meeting of the post last week.

A three-target pistol range has been completed and practice is being held at the range.

Five members of the American Legion pistol team will journey to Laredo Sunday to participate in the annual pistol shoot held by the Legion in this section. Members of the team are, P. M. Dykeman, post commander; A. B. Sanders, post adjutant; Harold Vertrees, Ivan Dodd, and C. F. Wood.

Georgia Governor Blasts At Aliens

ATLANTA—(AP)—In an unprecedented move aimed at "fifth columnists," Governor E. D. Rivers directed Saturday that the business, occupational and profession licenses of all Georgia aliens be cancelled June 1.

In giving oral instructions to Revenue Commissioner T. Grady Head to revoke the licenses, the governor made no mention of any exceptions, but later announced aliens who had applied for citizenship by June 1 would be exempted.

80-Year-Old Man Has New Marital Venture

SALT LAKE CITY—(AP)—Donna Faye and Donald Raye Bush, 12-year-old twins, were attendants at a wedding here.

The bridegroom was Fred Tobas, 80, their great-grandfather.

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Captain Franz Von Rintelen, above, noted for German espionage activities in the first World war, and in recent years a resident of England, was detained in England's drive on "fifth column" activities. Von Rintelen operated in the U. S. during the World war.

ALFALFA CROP STILL NEEDED

But Half Of Required Acreage Obtained

McALLEN—Half of the 600 acres of alfalfa necessary to secure a dehydration plant for McAllen have been signed up, George Lockhart told the McAllen Chamber of Commerce agricultural committee Saturday.

Lockhart said farmers had pledged 300 acres. A plant will be constructed if the minimum acreage can be secured within a radius of five miles of McAllen, he declared.

He said he will consider alfalfa beyond the five-mile radius if the field has 50 acres or more.

Mooney Undergoes Another Operation

SAN FRANCISCO — (AP) — Tom Mooney, 57, underwent his third major operation Saturday since his release from prison 17 months ago.

Saturday's operation was to relieve a jaundiced condition resulting from a biliary obstruction. Consultants said Mooney's condition made the operation an immediate necessity.

Cotton Consumption Decrease Reported

AUSTIN —(AP)— Dr. A. B. Cox, University of Texas marketing expert, predicted Saturday that 1939-40 world cotton consumption would be 28,000,000 bales, a reduction of 5,000,000 bales from last year.

At the same time he urged that the United States adopt an effective cotton program to meet "increasing fierceness of competition in the world market."

ALLIED WIN TO BE TOPIC

Brownsville Forum Set Monday

BROWNSVILLE—This may seem prosaic in the light of current events, but the Open Forum here Monday night is to discuss the results of an Allied victory in the European war.

The Open Forum, at a recent meeting, thumbed-over the results of a supposed Naxi victory.

Principal speaker will be Fred J. Khouri of the Brownsville high school-junior college faculty, who was a lecturer last summer at the League of Nations pavilion at the New York World's Fair.

The meeting will be the last of the season, and a reviving committee will be selected to organize the forum again next autumn.

Mr. Khouri is to leave soon for his home in Cranford, N. J. Holder of two degrees from Columbia University in foreign relations, he expects to do work on his doctor's degree next year.

Candidates Work

Mexico Presidential Aspirants Busy

HERMOSILLO, Sonora, Mexico—(AP)—Gen. Manuel Avila Camacho, pro-administration candidate for the Mexican presidency, will go by airplane from here to Mexicali, Baja California, Monday on the next lap of his nation-wide speaking tour, it was officially announced Thursday.

After touching a number of cities in Baja, California, the general will swing east againn, with a stop scheduled in Nogales, Sonora, June 2.

General Camacho is resting here this week from his arduous campaign.

The opposition candidate, Gen. Juan Andreau Almazan, was reported to have arrived Wednesday in Piedras Negras, Coahuila state. He plans to enter Sonora at Pulpito Pass about May 28.

Miner Blasts Self And Two Policemen

BOULDER, Colo.— (AP) —George Schmitz, 40-year-old hardrock miner, was blown to bits and two policemen were critically injured Saturday when Police Captain Arthur F. Master said, the miner set off a pocketful of dynamite during a quarrel with his estranged wife.

Mrs. Schmitz, who filed a divorce petition Friday, escaped injury by jumping outside their small home.

Judge Blalock Aids Duval County Judge

EDINBURG—District Judge Rogers Blalock will be on the bench here Monday when the new May term of 93rd civil district court gets under way. He has spent several days recently at San Diego, assisting District Judge Lawrence Broeter in clearing up the docket in his Duval county court.

Tri-Church Meeting Is Set For Sunday

RIO HONDO—Women of Alamo, San Juan and Rio Hondo community churches will meet here Friday, May 31, at noon for a covered dish luncheon, and a meeting to organize the women of the three churches.

OIL INDUSTRY PREPARED TO SUPPLY FUEL NEEDS

FORT WORTH — (AP) — Preparedness of the oil industry to supply fuel for President Roosevelt's defense program and 50,000 warplanes is expected to occupy much of the discussions among the 1,500 oil men during the Tenth Annual Mid-Year Meeting of the American Petroleum Institute.

While the convention proper does not formally open until Tuesday, committee meetings were inaugurated Friday. These sessions will be resumed Monday and continued through Thursday, when the convention ends, leaving only the annual golf tournament to be held Friday. Several hundred oil men put in their appearance for the early committee meetings.

While the majority of the time of those attending will be spent in the group sessions of the refining and production divisions of the API, much attention will be directed toward the role that the industry and its products are to assume in national defense.

Oil people everywhere have implied that their industry can be relied upon to the limit in any emergency.

Leaders in the oil industry have no worry about ability to increase capacity for making airplane fuel or any other products needed in the defense program. Should it be called upon, the industry could triple or quadruple its aviation gasoline output by the early part of next year, it has been expressed by the early arrivals for the convention.

As for increasing the supply of crude, only the turn of valves on the thousands of flush wells in the country will be necessary.

It has been pointed out by early arrivals that the domestic and foreign demand for aviation gasoline during the past few months nas been 20,000 barrels daily, while the industry has been refining 30,000 varrels daily.

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Holland Rapidly Recovering From Tension Of War; Is Near Normal

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Demobilization Seen For Dutch Army

AMSTERDAM —(AP)— Holland is rapidly recovering from the tension of war and Saturday was as nearly normal perhaps as any country in Europe.

Two weeks ago Friday when the Nazi invasion began, destruction rained from the skies and thousands of soldiers swept over the flat countryside. For five days the Dutch army fought, while the populace shuddered and jumped nervously as the wail of air raid sirens recurrently broke on the air.

Tension Is Relaxed

Saturday, except in a few places like Rotterdam where the full force of the war struck, people were going about their business as usual.

There are many reminders of war but one is impressed by the relaxation of tension which had ben felt in varying degrees for many months before Germany struck.

The blackout still is in effect in all cities.

Demobilization Expected

Numerous German soldiers are seen on the streets and in restaurants but Dutch soldiers, permitted to go about freely, are more in evidence. Frequently they are seen exchanging salutes or walking with the Germans.

Demobilization of the Dutch army is expected shortly.

The German military command is the supreme authority in Holland. However, local governments are permitted to function in collaboration with the Germans.

Club Dues Paid

Miss Vernice Kelly Is First President

HARLINGEN—The American Legion Community Service Club Saturday announced ten places of business in the city where membership dues may be paid.

These places are Johnson's Cafe, L. R. Plaskett Service Station, American Legion Hall, Walgreen Drug Company, Doug's Grill, Rio Grande Pharmacy, Arcadia Beauty Shop, Andy's No. 1, Cady's Barber Shop and also at the club office at Vine's Furniture Company.

The club is financing a child welfare program by means of ten-cent weekly membership dues and the places are set up for the payment of these dues. Each week a new club president is elected and if the person named has a paid up membership he receives a $25 weekly salary. Friday night Miss Vernice May Kelly was named president and next Friday a successor will be named. If the person elected does not have his membership paid up, the president elected the following week receives a salary of $50 and so on until a maximum of $75 is reached.

Police Kept Busy; Pamphleteers Stir Citizens To Riots

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Police were kept busy Saturday quelling clashes between war-jittery citizens and members of a pacifist religious sect.

Radio cars and patrol wagons were rushed to several sections of the city as crowds of angry folk attempted to prevent the sale of literature attacking organized religion and militarism.

The first outbreak occurred when crowds cornered pamphleteers in a downtown parking lot. Two other disturbances occurred shortly thereafter.

Wrong Way Corrigan Father Of New Son

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— Douglas "Wrong Way" Corrigan, whose story when he landed his old plane in England two years ago was that he started for Los Angeles and missed his bearings, became a father Saturday.

Mrs. Corrigan and a six-pound son were "doing nicely," the doctor said.

Coroner Is In Favor Of Abolishing Place

GREENSBURG, Pa. —(AP)— Dr. H. Albert McMurray is trying to talk himself out of a job.

The Westmoreland county coroner, McMurray told a women's club his office should be abolished because the coroner system is "pernicious, slow inefficient and antiquated" and a "relic of obsolete social conditions."

Mount Etna Crater Erupts In Sicily

LONDON—(AP)—The central crater of Mount Etna erupted at 3 a.m. Saturday, shooting a fountain of lava 20 feet high, the Exchange Telegraph news agency said in a dispatch from Catania, Sicily. About half an hour later the eruption calmed down. No damage was reported.

LEGION LEADER DIES

WICHITA, Kan.— (AP) —Ralph T. O'Neil, 51, national commander of the American Legion in 1932, died suddenly of a heart attack here Saturday night.

Brownsville's Legion To Honor Vice-Leader

Banquet To Be Held Tuesday Night For Kelley

BROWNSVILLE—Valley ex-service men and wives will gather at Brownsville Tuesday evening as the local American Legion post stages a banquet honoring Charles Q. Kelley, Little Rock, Ark., national vice-commander of the Legion.

The banquet was announced Saturday by Brownsville Legionnaires and it was stated at least 75 Upper Valley couples are expected to attend.

The banquet honoring Commander Kelley will be at the El Jardin Hotel here, beginning promptly at 7:45 p.m. Tuesday. Commander Kelley will speak at 8:30 p.m., and the banquet program will be broadcast over radio station KRGV.

Commander Kelley's visit to the Valley is a part of a trip to different Central and South Texas cities.

All Legionnaires and members of the Legion Auxiliary, Veterans of Foreign Wars and members of the V.F.W. auxiliaries, and members of all veterans' organizations of Brownsville and the entire Valley are invited to attend the banquet honoring Commander Kelley.

CHARLES Q. KELLEY

Tickets are being distributed at different Legion posts in the Valley. Reports of the number that will attend from each post or organization must be received in Brownsville by 6 p.m. Monday.

Mexico Names Military Chief In Border Area

REYNOSA, Mexico—General Pedro Lopez Tafoya of Monterrey assumed command Saturday of the military sector from Matamoros to Nuevo Laredo, establishing headquarters in Reynosa.

Chief of the 24th Cavalry, General Tafoya's command embraces Matamoros, Reynosa, Camargo, Guerrero, Nuevo Laredo and intervening points.

He accompanied General Miguel Enriquez of Monterrey, chief of the Seventh Military Zone, composed of the states of Coahuila, Nuevo Leon and Tamaulipas, on a tour of inspection to border posts Friday, prior to assuming his new post.

Lieutenant-Colonel Juan Jose Arocha will remain at his post as commander of the Reynosa garrison.

General Enriquez said he planned to make as many trips as possible to border towns because he wishes to be in contact with the American people on the other side of the river.

Through Mexican Consul Lauro Izaguirre of McAllen he expressed his desire to co-operate at all times with the American people. He said he deeply appreciated the welcome given him by United States citizens when he first came to the border several months ago.

He said he wanted to assure the American people that he and his subordinates will endeavor to carry on and to cement the good friendship and good will existing between the two countries and especially between the people of the Valley and northern Mexico.

The 24th Cavalry maintains a jazz band which is expected to be available for functions on both sides of the river.

HEARING SET AT HOUSTON

Freight Containers To Be Discussed

HARLINGEN—A number of subjects pertinent to growers, shippers and manufacturers of the Valley and the Southwest will come before the hearing to be held in Houston June 14 by the Freight Container Bureau of the Association of American Railroads, according to J. C. Yancey of Harlingen, southwestern representative.

Other hearings in the series will be held at Fresno, Calif., New York and Chicago on June 7, Jacksonville, Fla., June 11 and Houston June 14. Many such hearings have been held in Harlingen and a recent one was conducted at McAllen.

There are 29 proposals to come before the hearings of which 12 are for changes in present container specifications, 13 are for new containers not now provided in any tariff and four involve loading rules.

The Houston hearing will be conducted by Edward Dahill of New York, chief engineer for the bureau.

If it is not possible to attend the hearings in person anyone interested may submit written statements in triplicate directly to the New York office.

The proposals include a new type single compartment one and three-fifths bushel citrus box for use in the southeast.

Sudden Illness Hits Schoolmen's Banquet

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— Sudden illness struck down between 150 and 200 men at a schoolmasters' banquet Friday night, and Saturday eight of the victims were listed as critically ill.

Some of the 30 men taken to hospitals were so ill they were unable to give their names.

At the county general hospital Saturday it was stated the condition of 15 of those taken there was "fair." Twelve others given first aid treatment at a police receiving hospital and then taken to private institutions were reported out of danger.

Texas Negro's Leg Torn Off By Train

SHREVEPORT, La. —(AP)— When a Texas and Pacific passenger train pulled into the Shreveport station Saturday the foot and leg of a Negro was found hanging to the guard hangar of a pullman car.

Checking back along the track trainmen found the body of Henry Dixon, 28-year-old Marshall, Tex., Negro at a spot a half mile east of Scottsville, Tex., 35 miles west of Shreveport.

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VALLEY MEN STRIVE FOR WATER BILL

Delegates Expected To Return Soon

EDINBURG—Three Valley men who have been in Washington for the past two weeks pressing for house passage of a bill making possible a $54,000,000 irrigation and flood control project on the lower Rio Grande will return home during the coming week.

Oliver C. Aldrich, Hidalgo county judge and president of the Valley Water Conservation association, is expected home within a few days, his office announced Saturday. With him at the capital have been A. L. Cramer of Elsa and Emory W. Watts of Donna.

Report To Be Given

They are expected to be able to report the status of house resolution 9442 recently introduced by Congressman Milton West of Brownsville to make the Valley project possible. There has been some feeling in the Valley recently that the nation-wide defensive drive being led by President Roosevelt may divert attention from the Valley measure and thus hinder its chances of passage at this session of congress.

That Valley interests at Washington are pressing for such passage was indicated by a telegram received in the Valley the past week, in which Aldrich, Cramer and Watts urged that this section's entire effort be centered on the measure "in as much as time in this session of congress is limited."

Telegram Is Received

The telegram was inspired by a forum discussion early in the week at Brownsville in which a proposal was voiced that a joint committee of irrigation officials from the Valley and Mexico study the problem of equitable division of the waters of the river and attempt to promote a treaty between the U. S. and Mexican governments making construction of dams possible along the river.

"We are alarmed over the possibility of these discussions diverting the attention of the people of the Valley from the vigorous efforts now needed to effect passage" of the West bill, the three men wired. The project "will solve our problem by inside storage and would be the means of furnishing earliest possible relief," they contended.

Storage of Rio Grande waters will become part of the present proposed project, the telegram said, "if and when accomplished, but this cannot be in any way a substitute thereof."

Poppy Sale Good

Local VFW Auxiliary Cleans Up Supply

HARLINGEN — Memorial Day poppies sold like hot cakes Saturday, according to E. Polk Hornaday, chairman of the Veterans of Foreign Wars committee in charge of the sale.

The local VFW post ordered only 2,000 poppies and all except 250 were sold by noon. The remainder were sold soon after noon.

Ladies of the VFW auxiliary sold the poppies and Hornaday said that a fine spirit of co-operation was shown by members of the American Legion junior auxiliary who assisted.

Mexican Envoy Goes Home To Oil Parley

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Mexican Ambassador Francisco Castillo Najera will leave by plane Saturday night for his home capital and informed sources said he would participate in conferences with British oil interests on the pending dispute over expropriation of English owned oil properties.

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War Causes Severe Surplus Problem For Farmers

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Foreign markets closed by the European war and the spread of the barter system threatened to saddle American farmers with one of their worst surplus problems in recent years, despite production restrictions imposed under federal crop control programs.

Administration farm officials, deeply concerned, are searching for possible new outlets for crops which normally would be sold to European belligerents and to neutrals cut off from American supplies.

The agriculture department predicts that American farm exports will be reduced almost a third this year.

Normal yields of major crops this season would materially increase surpluses.

The prospects of such production and the shrinkage in foreign markets already is depressing farm prices. Grains have suffered sensational declines and cotton has lost ground.

The barter system, once confined to German trading operations, has been spreading to all Europe, even to the Allies, agriculture department officials said.

The British and French were said to have adopted a modified form of barter with South American countries.

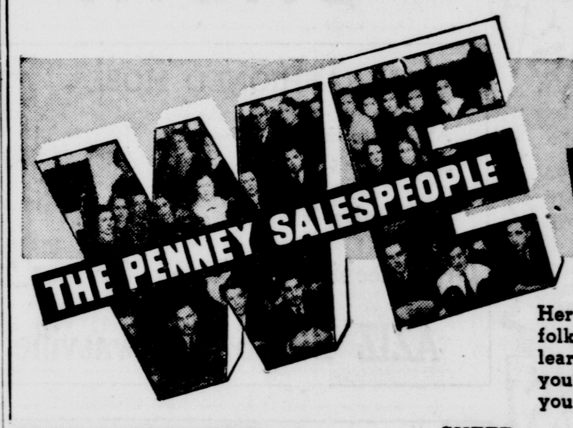
As a consequence, the government is preparing to invoke all phases of its crop control legislation in an effort to avert further shrinkage in farm values and income. Surpluses which otherwise might move into foreign markets will be withdrawn from market channels and stored under government loans to producers. This operation may require upwards of $500,000,000 in federal funds.

The government plans to make the most of what foreign markets are now available through use of export subsidies.

Subsidization of consumption by low-income families in this country will be given increased emphasis.

To carry on the operations, including benefits authorized farmers for curtailing production, the government expects to have upwards of $1,350,000,000.

Should crop control and subsidization fail to hold prices at reasonably satisfactory levels, the administration may turn, some leaders said, to some sort of price-control.



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Roosevelt's Speech On State Of Union Holds Interest Now

Facts Of Preparedness Seen Plain Enough By Observers; Conceptions Outmoded

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

Against the sombre background of the battle in Flanders, President Roosevelt's radio talk Sunday night on the state of the union—and its preparedness to defend itself in a war-mad world—takes on deep significance.

A tale of horror outmoding all written history is being written there. Respective of Franco-British or German fortunes swaying uncertainly in the balance from hour to hour, the unfolding story of that battle gives Roosevelt an opportunity to point its defense moral for American ears.

And that moral is this: In Poland, in Norway, in Holland, in Belgium, in France and even at sea-girt England a terrible price in blood and treasure has been and is being paid for inadequate readiness for defense.

Just how Roosevelt intends to state it is a matter of his choice. The facts are plain enough. They heavily underscore the failure even of France, at elbow-touch with arming Germany, to apprehend the full significance and import of the Nazi war preparation or to foresee the powerful war mechanisms that could and would be loosed against her.

Conceptions Changed

Administration leaders have made it clear that the events of actual war in Europe, beginning with the first German "blitzkrieg" in Poland, have destroyed all previous conceptions of national defense needs. That involves not only types of weapons, but the speed with which industry must be re-geared to produce them in sufficient quantity.

There was a plain intimation in President Roosevelt's suggestion to Congress that this country might need 50,000 battle planes, to insure the western hemisphere against incursions from Europe or Asia, that he regarded time as of the essence. Since he spoke the flame of war in Flanders has swept forward to the continental coast of the English Channel.

Insular England faces real—not imaginary or theoretical fears—of invasion despite her sea-power. The seemingly impossible of three weeks ago has become the not only possible, but the probable, perhaps the inevitable, of today.

Calculations Upset

All of it enters into the revision of American defense policy and re-fashioning of American means of defense which will be the announced keynote of the president.

The aftermath of the battle in Flanders may do far more than any possible present calculation of defense requirements to afford a glimpse of the dimensions of the American armament policy of the years ahead. That vast and confused conflict has already made almost obsolete much previous American defense planning.

There is a grave possibility, for instance, that Germany has created in a fast-striking, armored and mechanized shock unit a weapon upsetting every previous calculation of the relative cost in life of the offensive and defensive in war.

TEXAS G. O. P. MEET MONDAY

Committee To Hold All-Day Session

DALLAS —(AP)— The 1940 Texas State Republican Convention will get under way here Monday morning when 62 members of the state executive committee are scheduled to begin an all-day session.

The committee meeting, however, will be only preliminary to two major convention events. Thomas E. Dewey, young Republican presidential hopeful from New York, will speak at Fair Park Auditorium Monday evening. Orville Bullington, Wichita Falls member of the state committee, will deliver the convention's keynote address at its opening session Tuesday morning.

John Philp, State Republican secretary, said Saturday approximately 500 Republican delegates are expected to attend the convention, which will be held in the auditorium of the Dallas City Hall.

The Weather

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy, warmer in northwest portion Sunday; Monday cloudy. Moderate to fresh southeast winds on the coast.

ARIZONA: Fair Sunday and Monday except scattered afternoon thunderstorms. Not much change in temperature.

NEW MEXICO: Fair Sunday and Monday except scattered afternoon and early evening thunderstorms. Not much change in temperature.

WEST TEXAS: Increasing afternoon cloudiness Sunday and Monday with local afternoon and evening thunderstorms in the south and west portions Sunday and scattered over the entire area Monday. Not much change in temperature.

OKLAHOMA: Fair and warmer Sunday; Monday partly cloudy showers extreme west, warmer central and east portions.

Tabular data are for the 24 hours preceding 6:30 a.m. yesterday.

STATION	Lowest last night	Highest last 24 hours	Precipitation (inches
Abilene	59	84	.00
Albuquerque	51	79	.60
Amarillo	51	77	.80
Atlanta, Ga.	49	76	.20
Austin	57	82	.00
Boise, Idaho	53	88	.00
Boston, Mass.	46	49	.12
Brownsville	62	80	.00
Br'ville Airp't	57	82	.00
Chicago, Ill.	46	54	.80
Cincinnati, Ohio	43	57	.79
Cleveland, Ohio	48	51	1.00
Corpus Christi	56	80	.00
Dallas	60	82	.01
Del Rio	59	81	.00
Denver, Colo.	43	71	.00
Dodge City, Kan.	44	77	.00
El Paso	59	82	.00
Fort Smith, Ark.	57	79	.07
Helena, Mont.	50	84	.00
Houston	58	79	.00
Huron, S. Dak	43	63	.00
Huron, S. Dak.	43	63	.00
Jacksonville, Fla.	69	90	.57
Kansas City, Mo.	49	73	.20
Los Angeles	56	76	.00
Memphis, Tenn.	58	77	.01
Miami, Fla.	79	85	.00
Mpls. St. Minn.	42	60	.01
Modena, Utah	45	77	.00
New Orleans, La.	61	77	.00
North Platte, Neb.	36	71	.00
Oklahoma City,	55	80	.00
Palestine	62	78	.00
Pensacola, Fla.	59	79	.20
Phoenix, Ariz.	70	100	.00
Port Arthur	64	78	.00
Portland, Ore.	51	72	.00
Roswell, N. M.	57	83	.00
St. Louis, Mo.	53	74	.04
Salt Lake City	51	86	.00
San Antonio	64	82	.00
San Francisco	52	62	.00
Sheridan, Wyo.	40	77	.00
Shreveport, La.	60	78	.00
TampaZ Fla.	73	82	.15
Vicksburg, Miss.	62	75	.00
Washington, D. C.	56	62	.00
Williston, N. Dak	39	67	.00
Wilmington, N. C.	69	84	.16
Winnemucca, Nev	55	89	.00

Motley Withdraws From State Fight

AUSTIN—(AP)—The crowded race for railroad commissioner had one less candidate Saturday with the withdrawal of Raymond Motley of Waxahachie.

Motley announced lack of "financial ability" caused his withdrawal. He added that he personally would support Pierce Brooks of Dallas.

Valley Stickers Still Available

McALLEN—In spite of the large number of Valley persons securing windshield stickers from the McAllen chamber of commerce to place on their automobiles for trips "back home," a large number of free grapefruit and palm tree stickers are still available, officials said Saturday.

She Was Really It

GEORGETOWN, Colo.—(AP)—Dr. Randolph P. McDonough of Denver University, delivering the commencement address at the high high school in this mining community directed his remarks principally to Dorothy Nelson.

She was the 1940 graduating class And Dorothy lives nearby Empire.

Specialists Called To Greece's Colors

ATHENS—(AP)—The Greek government announced Saturday night that specialists and military classes of 1934 have been called up as a precautionary measure. It did not specify the number of men affected.

Parsons Licensed

Water Operator One Of Three Best

McALLEN—Roy Parsons, superintendent of service for the McAllen C. P. and L. unit, Saturday became the third Valley man to receive an "A" water operator's license, permitting him to operate any water filtration plant in the state for the remainder of his life.

The license was issued to him by the Texas Board of Health and marked the end of a long study coupled with 15 years experience in water service.

Similar licenses are held by S. C. Clark of San Benito and Rankin Kennedy of Weslaco.

McAllen Publicized As Entry To Mexico

McALLEN—McAllen is termed the second most important gateway to Mexico in the United States, in literature mailed out the past week by the McAllen Chamber of Commerce.

The literature, calculated to draw additional travel to the Valley and McAllen was mailed to travel bureaus of chambers of commerce in strategic cities throughout the Middlewest.

Robed Choir Gives Musicale On June 2

SAN JUAN—A robed choir of 27 voices, under direction of James Dodson, will present a sacred musicale at the San Juan's People's church here Sunday, June 2, at 8 p. m., with Mrs. A. B. Cron as pianist according to announcement Saturday.

Canadian Officers Seize Nazi Papers

MONTREAL—(AP)—In the second of their overnight raids against Fascist and "Fifth Column" elements, police Saturday arrested one man and seized fresh quantities of Swastika emblems, pennants, pamphlets, maps and photographs.

Baptists Hit Papal Envoy Of President

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—(AP)—The Northern Baptist Convention voted Saturday to ask President Roosevelt to reconsider his appointment of Myron C. Taylor as his personal representative to the Vatican.

Yugoslavs Ship Out Gold To U. S. Safes

ATHENS, Greece—(AP)—Three carloads of Yugoslav gold arrived here Saturday for trans-shipment to the United States.

FREE
APPRECIATION MONEY
With Every 20c Purchase It's Good for . . .
CASH!

FULL FASHIONED HOSE
All silk to the top. Two and 3-thread, 45 and 48 gauge—
2 Pairs for $1
Or "Kneehi" Hose, 4 pairs for .
AZIZ BROS. Brownsville

FREE!
Any 10c ITEM in our store with the purchases of other merchandise amounting to $1
W. F. WOOLWORTH CO.

OUR DOLLAR SPECIAL
Two 50c bottles of Pepsodent Antiseptic $1.00
One $1 bottle of Hind's Almond Cream $1.00
Total value $2.00
All for $1
SAMANO'S DRUG STORE
Next to Penney's

LOOK, LADIES
Shampoo .....!
Fingerwave .....!
Rinse .....!
Eye Brow Arch...!
A $1.70 value, Special, all for . $1
LEON The Hairstylist
Phone 1121

FREE!
10c box of Brown's Saltine crackers
One Pint of Ice Cream (Our own make)
Free with each $1 or More Purchase
All for $1
PIGGLY WIGGLY Brownsville

Hunting Knives
Genuine leather scabbards. Your choice of bone, ebonite, pearl or leather handles. All sizes.
Special $1
LION AUTO STORE
Home Owned — Home Operated

Wash and Grease Job
Any Make Car
$1.75 Value
Dollar Day Special Only
$1
PIPKIN-MANSKE MOTORS
Super-Service Station — 9th & Levee

DOLLAR DAY MONDAY!

34 Brownsville merchants invite you to the last of 4 sensational Dollar Monday values are listed below and they're just you'll find inside the stores. Remember

ASK FOR FREE APPRECIATION MONEY

Children's Sox
Regularly 25c pair,
SPECIAL, 6 pairs $1
A $1.50 Value!
MARY-FRANCES SHOP

Men's 8-ounce
BLUE DENIM
OVERALLS
$1.29 Value
DOLLAR DAY SPECIAL $1
McChesney's Dry Goods Store
Eleventh Between Elizabeth and Washington

Guaranteed Washable!
Window Shades
Fibre
Complete with Rollers
5 for $1
Choice of Ecru, Ivory or White
USUALLY 29c EACH
W. T. GRANT CO.
"Known for Values" 1117 Elizabeth

FREE!
$1.00 Worth of Wallpaper with every $1.00 worth purchased at regular price.
See Other $1.00 Paint Specials in Our Store
$1
SHERWIN-WILLIAMS CO.
1240 Elizabeth Phone 1181

New Summer Shoes
. . . in all the new summer shades. Most wanted styles. Values to $5.00. Extra special for tomorrow only $1
BERWALD'S SHOE STORE

Whole Skin
Oil Tanned Chamois and Auto Sponge
$1.30 Value
Both For Only $1
Western Auto Associate Store
1207 ELIZABETH

FREE!
One 10c Package Brown's SALTINES
One 10c Package NEWPORT COFFEE
$1.00 Worth of Groceries
(Your Own Selection)
Total Value $1.20—
Dollar Day Special—All for ... $1
JITNEY JUNGLE
BROWNSVILLE STORES ONLY

Repeated by Request,
LION SPARK PLUGS
15,000 mile guarantee. For all models. Regularly $1.60—
4 for $1
BROWNSVILLE HDW. CO.
1126 WASHINGTON PHONE 668

House Coats
Lightweight for summer. Seersucker, print, spun rayon. Regularly $1.98—
SPECIAL $1
COTTON SHOP
Queen Theatre Annex

ELECTRIC TABLE LAMP
Regular $1.98 electric table lamp complete with cellophane-wrapped parchment shade, extension cord and plug. Base in choice of several attractive colors.
MONDAY ONLY $1
Edelstein's BETTER FURNITURE
BROWNSVILLE STORE ONLY

Your Chance to Save Dollars
Come to Brownsville This Monday

TOMORROW . . . .

Brownsville's 4th and Last

BIG DOLLAR DAY

Monday Your Last Opportunity To Get Appreciation Money With Every 20c Purchase!

to be their guest on ays. 34 astonishing st a sample of what ber? . . besides the drastically reduced prices, you get free appreciation money with each 20c purchase made tomorrow. It's good for cash on Appreciation Day, Monday, June 3rd! Buy in Brownsville tomorrow and save—save—SAVE!!

IATION MONEY WITH EVERY PURCHASE

CAMBRIDGE CRYSTAL CIGARETTE LIGHTER and HEAVY ASH TRAY.

An ideal gift for the person who smokes 1

R. L. LACKNER Jeweler and Optometrist
"The Valley's Oldest Established Jeweler"

Summer Ties
Regularly $1.00 Value
Choice Assortment—
Dollar Day Special— 2 for Only 1
COLLINS TOGGERY
Twelfth and Elizabeth

Special Sale of . . .
Picture Frames
4 x 6 to 11 x 14, gold and silver plated, leather, ornamental glass. Made especially for photographs. Values to $4.00, 1 day only 1
A. ROGERS PHOTO CO.
1117 Levee Phone 99

Women's and Misses'
HATS
A group of fine hats will be our Monday Dollar Day Special. Your choice 1
GIMBLE'S LADIES' WEAR
1155 Elizabeth

Dart Games
18 x 18 cork faced dart board and 3 weighted darts. The new fun game for in or out of doors.
SPECIAL 1
BATSELL-WELLS
Exclusive Sporting Goods

Genuine B. V. D.
Shirts and Shorts
Regular 50c values
3 Garments for 1
PERL BROS.—FASHION STORE FOR MEN

Thermos Jug
1 gallon, Blue Ribbon jug with pour spiggot. Regularly $1.39—
Special 1
DEN-RUSS PHARMACY

Hundreds of Useful Items
Values to $3.00
Conveniently arranged on tables for easy selection. You must see these to appreciate their value.
Dollar Day Special
Your Choice 1
Dorfman's Jewelry Store
The Valley's Finest for More Than 16 Years

Lorraine and Southern Maid
PANTIES
New summer panties in Trique Suave and Fine Tricot Lace Knit. Pink and White. Regularly 59c each.
SPECIAL, 2 pairs for 1
BOLLACK'S

Women's and Misses'
Washable Dresses
Printed Percales in good style selections.
Regular 59c
Dollar Day Price 3 for ... 1
E. MANAUTOU
12th and Washington

3 Lbs. Laco Castile Soap $1.19
Rubber Face Sponge ..... .10
TOTAL of $1.29
or
Maudarin Household Glove 29c
7-oz. Apex Moth Crystals 23c
Lovme Body Powder 98c
TOTAL of $1.50.
Your choice 1
EAGLE PHARMACY, Inc.
757 Elizabeth Phone 26

MEN'S STRAW
HATS
Several styles and colors. These are regular $1.98 hats—
Extra Special Monday, each ... 1
VALENTIN'S DEPT. STORE
Eleventh and Washington

FREE!
3 CANS OF MONARCH
Baby food with the purchase of meats or groceries in our store totaling 1
CENTER GRO. & MKT.
8th and West Elizabeth — Phone 322

BLANKETS
LAUNDERED
SINGLE or DOUBLE
(Any Size)
4 FOR 1
MODEL LAUNDRY
and Dry Cleaning Company, Inc.
Phone 1

BRIEF HISTORY OF THE LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY
Complete, compact, authentic.
SPECIAL 1
Money Orders Filled At No Extra Cost.
THE BOOK INN
Capitol Theatre Bldg. Phone 1683

Full Double-Bed Size
Chenille Bedspreads
Colored backgrounds. Gay colors. Special price for Monday— 1
J. C. PENNEY CO., Inc.
Your Brownsville Penney Store

BRAKE ADJUSTMENT, RE-PACK FRONT WHEELS
with Fibre Grease
Tighten Spring U-Bolts—
A 2.50 Value 1
FIRESTONE AUTO SUPPLY & SERVICE STORES
GORDON WHITE, MGR.
703 Elizabeth St. Phone 671

Ask for Appreciation Money

It Can Be Spent As Cash on June 3rd.

DOLLAR DAY MONDAY!

Brownsville Offers Its Last Dollar Day Bargains On Monday

34 Merchants Offer Specials; Additional Appreciation Money To Be Given

BROWNSVILLE—Fourth and final "Dollar Day" in Brownsville is Monday, and 34 merchants will offer red-hot "Dollar Day" specials to customers coming here from throughout the Valley.

More appreciation money will be distributed Monday, not only on purchases of the special dollar bargains but also on any other purchases at the participating stores.

The "appreciation money" actually means another five per cent discount on purchases on "Dollar Day."

"Appreciation Money" may be spent June 3, cashed in that day like coin of the realm, on purchases at any of the stores participating in the series of "Dollar Days" that ends Monday.

Appreciation Day Coming

The merchants have arranged the June 3 "Appreciation Day" as an added incentive to customers taking advantage of the "Dollar Day" bargains.

All articles sold on "Dollar Day" will be accompanied by "appreciation money" coupons that amount to five per cent of the purchase price.

Besides a dollar special at each of the 34 participating stores, many other bargains will be available.

On "Appreciation Day" the coupons can be cashed in at any one, several or all of the 34 stores, regardless of which store issued the "appreciation money."

The Brownsville merchants are planning to make Monday's final "Dollar Day," the last of a series of four, the biggest of the events. They then will top off the entire program with "Appreciation Day."

Stores Are Marked

Stores taking part in the big bargain series are well marked, with dollar pennants decorating their show windows. Giant dollar marks painted on streets and sidewalks will guide customers to the participating stores.

Clerks in the stores will wear dollar bills pinned to their neckties—further calling to shoppers' attention the bargain values offered.

"And don't forget to ask for that appreciation money," several merchants have urged. "We want customers to come back to our stores on June 3 and do their shopping on the house."

Customers can do just that, spending their "appreciation money" to purchase merchandise, as if the coupons were cash.

Listed Today

Bargain specials for the final "Dollar Day," Monday, are listed in the Valley Sunday Star-Monitor-Herald.

The Sunday preceding the June 3 "Appreciation Day," merchants will advertise other bargains, not necessarily dollar specials, to guide customers in spending their appreciation money.

The bargain day events are sponsored by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce merchants' committee, and the Brownsville Herald. R. W. Lewis is chairman of the "Dollar Days" and "Appreciation Day" events, and can be contacted for further information at the F. W. Woolworth store.

Participating in the program of bargains are Aziz Brothers, the Book Inn, Berwald Shoe Store, Bollack's Department Store, Batsell-Wells Sporting Goods, Brownsville Hardware Company, the Cotton Shop, Collins Toggery, Center Grocery, Dorfman's Jewelry Store, Den-Russ Pharmacy, Edelstein's Better Furniture (the Brownsville store).

Others Listed

Eagle Pharmacy, Inc., Firestone Service Store, Gimble's Ladies' Wear, Grant's Department Store, Jitney Jungle Stores, Lackner's Jewelry Store, Lion Auto Store, Leon the Hairstylist, Manautou's Department Store, Mary-Frances Shop.

Model Laundry, McChesney Department Store, J. C. Penney Company, Perl Brothers—Fashion, Piggly Wiggly Store, Pipkin-Manske Motors, A. Rogers Photo Company, Sherwin Williams Paints, Samano's Drug Store, Valentin's Department Store, Western Auto Supply and Woolworth's Store.

Joint Meet Due

Lawyers, Physicians Plan McAllen Meet

McALLEN—Members of two major professional organizations will get together in McAllen the night of June 1 for a fellowship meeting at the Casa de Palmas hotel here.

The groups are the Hidalgo County Bar association and the Hidalgo County Medical association. No similar meeting has been held in this section of the Valley in several years.

Homer L. Leonard of McAllen, state representative and candidate for speaker of the house at the next legislative session, will serve as toastmaster. One principal address will be scheduled by a member of each of the professions.

Arrangements are being completed to serve the dinner to several score lawyers and doctors.

British Say German Vessel Claims False

LONDON—(AP)—The Ministry of Information said Saturday that "a German claim that eight ships and two minesweepers have been lost off the coast of South Africa from the effects of German mines is entirely false."

Seniors From Port Isabel Have Cruise

PORT ISABEL—The senior class of 1940 gave a boat party Friday when they went out on the "Gulf Ranger" owned by Captain J. W Pate. They went to Padre Island, crossed over to the gulf side and had their picnic lunch.

PARKING FINE ASSESSED

McALLEN—J. E. Miller was fined $1 in city court Saturday for illegal parking.

WALSH GETS CHURCH JOB

Catholics To Build Here Soon

HARLINGEN—J. E. Walsh of Mission was awarded contract here Friday night for construction of the new Saint Anthony's Catholic church building, with low bid of $32,500, total of 11 bids ranging as high as $41,000 being submitted by contractors throughout the Valley and state.

The church, being built in honor of Father Antoine, O.M.I., pastor of the Harlingen parish, will be constructed on corner of Tenth and East Harrison streets, opposite Statler-Burdette Mortuary.

Construction Slated

Construction will begin immediately, ground being broken on May 30, Father Antoine's 79th birthday. It is expected the church will be completed within 90 to 120 days. When completed it will seat 402 people. Stanley Bliss is architect.

The building, of Mission design, brick construction, with red tile roof, will be dedicated on September 29, which is 57th anniversary of the date Father Antoine took his priestly vows. Father Antoine was ordained a priest in December of 1887.

Plans Are Formulated

Plans for dedication are being formulated. Father Antoine has served this parish for the past eight years. The present church building, which will continue in use, has been used as house of worship here for the past 25 years.

A meeting of all members of the congregation will be held in the Knights of Columbus Hall Monday at 8 p. m., at which time a complete report will be made by the building committee, and other committees will be appointed.

Members of the building committee include Larry Powers, chairman; Mrs. Ellen Gaffney, S. R. Jennings, Menton Murray, Fred Keepers, Lloyd Borguet, J. J. Murray and Father Antoine.

Band House

Brownsville To Build School Unit

BROWNSVILLE—A permit for construction of a $1,600 band house at the Brownsville high school Saturday was recorded at the city building inspector's office.

A 25 by 50 foot one-room, one-story brick building with slate composition roof and cement floor is planned. The band room will be located on the old Tucker Field site.

Charles L. Ellis was architect for the band room, according to the permit taken out by J. P. Maher, business manager for the Brownsville Independent School District.

A permit for construction of a $4,000 residence by R. L. Brockman has been issued by the building inspector. Brockman is owner and contractor.

The house will be located on the north side of Palm boulevard between Sunset and Ebony drives, in Los Ebanos. A frame stucco building, it will have two stories, six rooms.

Coffee Pot Blast Is Fatal To Two

BAY SHORE, N. Y.—(AP)—Mrs. Henry Link, 29, hurried into the gallery of her cabin cruiser to prepare the morning coffee Saturday.

Nearby, awaiting breakfast, sat her 76-year-old grandfather, John A. Johnson.

The coffee pot exploded, fatally burning them both.

Police said Mrs. Link had mistaken gasoline from a nearby jug for water in preparing the brew.

Fourth Ward School Will Open Monday

BROWNSVILLE — Fourth Ward school here will open summer classes Monday, for children in the first to fourth grades, inclusive, it was announced Saturday.

Miss Amelia Fernandez and Miss Josephine Webb will be in charge of the school's summer session.

Dallas Group Acts To Guard Aviators

DALLAS — (AP) — Manager Guy Draper of the Oak Cliff Chamber of Commerce acted Saturday to safeguard aviators who might have to bail out in that vicinity.

Draper urged in a 100-word statement that war-minded citizens investigate before they start shooting at parachutists.

TEXAS PIONEER DIES

ABILENE, Tex.—(AP)—Mrs. H. L. Bentley, 89, native of Austin, a daughter of General Tom Green, who fought at San Jacinto and was a member of the Third Congress of the Republic of Texas, died at her home here Saturday.

RELIEF FUND DRIVES SEEN LAGGING NOW

Only San Juan Shows Total Quota

HARLINGEN—Raising of refugee relief funds by the American Red Cross by various Valley chapters was meeting with varying success by Saturday with San Juan going over the top in a big way while some others were struggling along.

San Juan workers went about their campaign in a thorough manner and raised $195, almost twice the assigned quota. The workers were guests of the San Juan Hotel management at breakfast and immediately afterwards went to work.

The drive was directed by A. E. Sharer, director, and Rev. Beaty Smith, chairman of the Red Cross chapter there. They were assisted by representatives of the Lions Club. Workers included Mesdames Fred Gallant, Jimmie Dodson, Ray Fraim, Beaty Smith, Mabel George, Armour Moore, Misses Mary Claire Gossage, Elaine Lindberg and Carolyne Doedyn and Rev. J. M. Risinger, J. Lee Stambaugh, Burl Stugard and Clark Mellenbruch.

Harlingen Lagging

At Harlingen, Treasurer E. C. Breedlove of the local Red Cross organization said only about half a dozen voluntary contributions totalling $50 had been received. Funds already in the treasury were used in meeting the local quota, it was said. Further contributions can be used with extension of hostilities in Europe and may be given either to Joe L. Penry, Jr. or to Breedlove.

At McAllen, the drive for $600, that city's part of the county's $2400 quota, gets under way Wednesday, under direction of Executive Secretary Miss Adele Speed.

A. M. Tarbutton, Edinburg, general county Red Cross chairman, said Elsa had reported $76.34, almost double its goal; Alamo finished with a quota of $113.50; Edinburg had reached the $175 mark with several days more of campaigning ahead.

Brownsville Is 'Failing'

D. B. Briggs, Brownsville Roll Call chairman, said Saturday the war relief campaign there would be a complete failure unless immediate contributions are received. He said $604, about one-third of the city's $1706 quota, had been donated.

At San Benito, Chairman Joe Sloan also admitted contributions were coming in slowly, but he said that if necessary "we will go out and dig our quota up by canvassing." The drive there has been on a voluntary basis.

Retailers Called

June To Be Dollar Auction Month

HARLINGEN—Proposal that June be designated as Auction Dollar Month in Harlingen, has been announced, according to Jack King, chairman of the Auction Dollar Month committee.

Those merchants and business business men who have not been contacted or have not signed up to participate in the plan, said Worth Heffner, chamber of commerce secretary, are requested to go to the chamber of commerce office Monday, at which time the plan will be explained in detail.

It is hoped, said King, that a definite announcement can be made on the plan within the next few days. After the plan has been explained, those who care to may sign the agreement.

Corn Cob Costume Brings Publicity

MISSION — Miss Wilma Beth Schuelke brought national attention to her home city of Mission this week when she was sketched in Ripley's "Believe It Or Not" syndicated cartoon wearing a costume made of corn cobs. Permission was granted the Ripley syndicate several weeks ago by the Mission Chamber of Commerce to use the sketch.

The dress design was chosen from several hundred shown during recent years at the annual Style Show of the Texas Citrus Fiesta in Mission. Ripley has asked to use the costume in his display at the Golden Gate Exposition in San Francisco this summer.

Brownsville To Hear San Benito Quartet

BROWNSVILLE — The double male quartet of San Benito is to give a concert Monday at 8 p. m. at the First Methodist church of Brownsville. The public is invited.

Mrs. James D. Ward, contralto, who directs the choir, will be heard also in two groups of solos. She will be accompanied at the piano by Mrs. S. W. Colmery.

Presbyterians Veto Backing Objectors

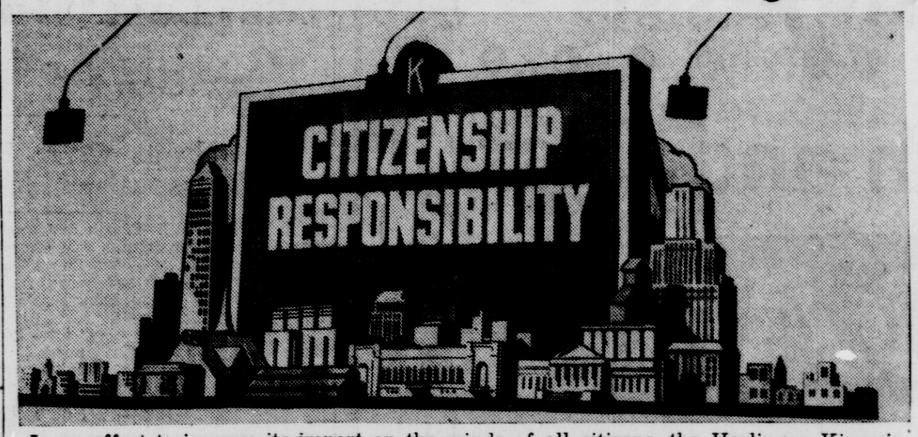
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—(AP)—Commissioners to the 152nd assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States tabled by a close vote late Friday a recommendation urging Congress to exempt conscientious objectors from military servitary service and giving them equal ice and giving them equal standing within the church.

Frisco Railroad's Profit Is Reported

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—The Frisco Railroad reported Saturday its operations in the first four months of this year had produced a net income of $161,259. as compared with a net operating deficit of $171,240 in the first quarter of 1939.

In April, the railroad had a net operating deficit of $3.558, against a similar deficit of $34,035 in April last year.

Kiwanians Advertise Their Slogan



In an effort to impress its import on the minds of all citizens, the Harlingen Kiwanis Club has erected the sign shown above, bearing the Kiwanis International slogan for 1940, "Citizenship Responsibilities, the Price of Liberty," atop Knapp Chevrolet Company on West Harrison Avenue, Harlingen.

McAllen Fourth Of July Committeemen Selected

Caravan Of Bathing Girls, Stunt Band Will Advertise Celebration During Tour

McALLEN—Twenty-one committees for the annual McAllen Fourth of July celebration were announced Saturday by General Chairman George Chapapas. The committees follow:

Air show, Al Weir, Howard Faulkner; amateur show and old fiddler's contest, P. H. Graning, Creola Vickers, Scott Martin, Jodie Polk; bathing girl revue, Bob Miller, Smith Scott Crow; baseball, Cecil Thompson; bands and music, John Gregory, Herman Wrenn, Louis Wurtz, Fletcher Rawls; boy and girl scouts, J. W. Taylor, C. E. R. Cameron, George Linn; carnival and street stunts, Hans Rothe; childrens' sports Leo Mathis, Carlos Fink; carpenter work, Gus Maurer, George Anderson.

Concessions and ice water, Bob Jolly, J. B. Morton, Jim Beakey; decorations, Cecil Thompson. dance, O. P. Martin, Francis Linn; fireworks, Dr. F. G. Sigrist, Carl Klinger, Bill Moore; golf tournament, C. D. Martin; honor guests, Kirk Mallory, Horace Etchison; pet parade, Mrs. F. O. Swan, Mrs. Horace Ethison; reveille, Bill Burris, Ray Loosh; publicity, Paul Vickers, Bill Watts, Mike Groom, Bill Holmes, Richard Rowe; finance, W. E. Trantham, Ernest Polzin; parade, D. P. Germane, Bolton Hyde; public speaking, Homer Leonard.

Publicity on the celebration will begin flowing from headquarters this week. Watts will handle the newspaper stories, and Groom the radio "plugs." Manager L. J. (Shine) Mason of the Palace Theatre has promised to run trailers advertising the event for a month free of charge. The chamber of commerce will send stories to San Antonio newspapers and radio stations for South Texas coverage.

On July 2 a caravan made up of a firemen's stunt bank, three bathing beauties, a Gulf sound truck, and numerous citizens, will tour all Valley cities, advertising the celebration and putting on a show. The caravan will leave McAllen at 9 a. m., arriving at Mission at 9:10 for a 10-minute program. The remainder of the itinerary, and hours of arrival, follow:

Edinburg 9:40, Elsa 10, Edcouch 10:05; Raymondville 10:40, Brownsville 12:30 p. m., San Benito 1:50, Harlingen 2:10, La Feria 2:35, Mercedes 2:50, Weslaco 3:10, Donna 3:30, Alamo 3:50, San Juan 4, Pharr 4:10, McAllen 4:25. A 10-minute program is to be presented at McAllen upon arrival.

'NASTY WEED' TO BE TOPIC

Tobacco Expert Is To Address Club

BROWNSVILLE — The Brownsville Lions club is going to hear about that "nasty" weed Tuesday at 12:15 p. m. at the Hotel El Jardin.

A member of the research department of Philip Morris and Company is to speak on "Tobacco From a Weed to An Ondustry."

The talk is to review some historical data in respect to the introduction of smoking among peoples. Statistical evidence is to be offered as to the economic importance of the tobacco industry.

The contribution of engineering and ethical advertising of tobacco products is covered, and a typical growing tobacco concern is to be described.

Harry Roberts is program chairman. President of the club is D. B. Briggs.

Rev. Carver Speaks At Baptist Service

HARLINGEN — "Burning The Barley Fields" will be subject of the sermon by Rev. E. Douglas Carver at the First Baptist church here Sunday, at services beginning at 10:55 a. m. Miss Emogene Oler will present special vocal music.

At evening services, Rev. Carver will speak on "My Religion." Service will be at 8 p. m. At 8:30 p. m. the message from President F. D. Roosevelt will be received at the church.

Pharr Schools End Term With Services

PHARR — Four events featured graduation week for members of Pharr-San Juan-Alamo senior class, including baccalaureate sermon the night of May 19, Class Night May 20, junior high graduation exercises May 21 at the athletic field, and senior high graduation the night of May 22.

Senior high graduation exercises were interrupted by rain. Robert H. Kern, Mercedes, speaking to seniors at the athletic field, was interrupted by a shower, and resumed his address in the school auditorium. Diplomas were presented by L. G. McCullough. Graduates numbered 88.

TOM LOADING HITS 13 CARS

Prices Remain Same At Three Cents

MERCEDES — Tomato shipments reached a new high for the spring season with 13 cars moving out of the Valley and 15 from Yoakum, making a total of 28 while Florida shipped 217. The nation's total of 345 compared to 267 on the same date last season.

Prices remained about the same with U. S. No. 1, 6x6's bringing the grower three cents a pound, 6x7's two cents and U. S. No. 2's one cent.

Valley commodity shipments Saturday were as follows: Green corn 17, parsley one, carrots three, mixed vegetables three, beets two, beets and carrots one, cucumbers two, tomatoes 13.

Texans Must Wait For Wanted Killer

LINCOLN, Neb.— (AP) —Attorney General Walter Johnson ruled Saturday in an opinion to Gov. R. L. Cochran that Ernest L. Hoefgen Nebraska penitentiary inmate, cannot be released to Texas authorities for prosecution on a murder indictment until he has finished his six-year term.

Texas authorities sought custody of Hoefgen in connection with the slaying of George Richiet, Independence, Kan., carpenter, near Wichita Falls, Tex., October 9, 1938. Sheriff Pat Allen of Wichita Falls said after questioning Hoefgen here recently that Hoefgen confessed.

HARLINGEN MAN FINED

HARLINGEN—Roy Lozano was fined $7.50 Saturday on speeding charge by Judge Menton Murray in corporation court. City Officer Harold Crossett filed the charge.

Arkansas Revenue Indictments Given

FORT SMITH—(AP)—Z. M. McCarroll, Arkansas state revenue commissioner, and nine other persons, were named in a 19-count indictment returned here Saturday by a federal grand jury investigating illicit liquor running between Arkansas and dry Oklahoma and Nebraska.

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SIXTY YOUTHS ARE AT PARTY

Harlingen, San Benito Group Guests

BROWNSVILLE — More than 60 boys and girls, including several from San Benito and Harlingen, were guests Saturday night at a delightful dance given by Frances Cowen and Genie McGilvray at the Francis Leighton Dashiell studio.

The young folks took part in the hospitality, from eight to 11 p. m., with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cowen, Mrs. Hugh McGilvray, and Mrs. L. Raphael Cowen as chaperones. Punch and cookies were served to the following:

Helen Morrison, San Benito; Lillian Hardy, Harlingen; Eileen Rainey, Harlingen; Patricia Green, Jane Ann McGinley, Pansy Yturria, Patsy Caldwell, Margaret Williams, Doris Hooven, Doris Cawley, Betsy Aiken, Laura Lanier, Emma Joe Brigance, Jane Jennings, Jane Hitch, Beth DeSpain, Betty Jean MacManus, Marilyn Yglesias, Margaret Craig, Phyllis Douglas, Lois Herod, Audrey Barnes, Una Roseman Hockaday, Valorie Baudreoux, Mary Bertha Crigler, Marinell Skelton, Ann Works, Beverly Elliot, Rebecca Ann Tittle, Rose Marie Armstrong, Mildred Washington, Lionel Winans, Eugene Fernandez, Robin Pate, Jr., Henry Kinnison III, Charles Walker, Walter Rathjen, Charles McRoberts, Mickey Alleyn, Jerry Hausman, Henry Hausman, Van Deyo, Marshall Graham, Joseph Ward, Jack Shiner, David Clore, Bobby Satcher, Lee Works, Joe Frank Price, Roger Stubblefield, Billy Faulk, Austin Hayes, Mike MacManus, John Swansey, John A. Olson, Joe Garland Frazier, Joe Pierce, Ted Graham, T. W. Celaya Manley Gaylord, Robert Richardson, Brent Pruden, Charles Paul.

Wichita Falls Has 1,247 Added Noses

WICHITA FALLS—(AP)—Showing a gain of 1,247 since 1930, Wichita Falls' population Saturday was announced as 44,937 on the basis of a preliminary 1940 census tabulation. The figure given for the metropolitan area was 53.804, comparing with 50,560 in 1930.

Heffner Is Speaker To Donna Rotarians

DONNA — Worth Heffner, manager of Harlingen Chamber of Commerce addressed the Rotary Club last week.

Rev. B. E. Stewart, of Pharr, Escopalian Church, announced the opening of the Red Cross drive and appealed to the Rotarians to give now for the aid of the millions of homeless Europeans. Otto Praether local Red Cross Chairman, requested assistance from the club, so that the Donna quota could be secured at once. Albert Kammer, F. G. Haney and Orville Stites were appointed to assist in the drive for funds.

Sudden Increase In Black Eyes Recorded In Hidalgo

Assistant Prosecutor Handles Large Group Of Assault, Battery Cases

EDINBURG—Persons appearing before justices of the peace in Hidalgo county the past week displayed an unusual collection of bruised fists, bloody noses and black eyes as the result of a sudden series of assault cases, Assistant District Attorney Hollis Rankin revealed Saturday.

Three assault trials were held late in the week.

Before Justice of the Peace T. J. Fikes, Sr., at Mercedes, Jake Foley was fined $5 and costs on an assault and battery charge, and W. J. Steigner paid a similar fine in a similar case.

At Weslaco, in Justice R. E. Erwin's court, a mistrial was ordered in the assault and battery case against Jack Miller, accused of fighting with B. T. Tackett. A hung jury prevented a verdict.

Other cases in which Rankin prosecuted for the state were:

E. T. Acree, Donna, fined $1 and costs for speeding, pleaded not guilty, tried by jury in Justice R. L. Savage's court at San Juan; Charles Martin, fined $5 and costs for using abusive language in swearing at a girl, tried by Justice W. K. Galbreath Jr., Edcouch; Porfilio Guerrero, using abusive language, fined $1 and costs by Justice Galbreath; and Pedro Castillo, fined $25 and costs, charged with petty theft in stealing auto parts from a junk yard, tried before Justice Galbreath.

A total of 17 cases went to trial in the county's justice courts during the week, said Rankin. A majority of them were heard at McAllen.

Several domestic quarrels were settled in court without trials.

Scotland Yard Busy With Fifth Column Suspects In Isles

LONDON —(AP)— Scotland Yard, which has seized 60 Fascists in two days, was expected to make other arrests this week-end in an intensified drive against suspected "Fifth Columnists."

Of the "stop-the-war" agitators already under arrest, 42 were seized in London and the others in the provinces.

United States embassy officials said "we can make no comment whatever" on a report that a member of the embassy staff had been arrested.

MOVIE WRITER DIES

HOLLYWOOD — (AP) — William Marien Conselman, who rose from a gag writer to become one of the movies' highest-paid scenarists, died Saturday of a liver ailment. He was 43.

BROWNSVILLE MAN HONORED

Washington Named In Road Contest

BROWNSVILLE—W. O. Washington, former county engineer of Cameron county, is one of five nationally known engineers selected to choose winners in the first annual Better Roads magazine contest to determine best-managed county highway departments in the United States, it was learned Saturday.

Mr. Washington is a consulting engineer of the American Road Builders' Association, and is a former president of the county highway officials' division of the association.

A series of awards will be made to county highway departments that follow good management practices, the counties divided into five population classes.

Winning counties will receive awards suitable for display.

The contest is open until June 30, and winners will be announced in the October issue of Better Roads.

British Ships Hit

BERLIN—(AP)—The German radio announced Friday night that two British cruisers had been bombed by German air raiders in the Narvik, Norway, region and "must be considered total losses." The announcement also said that a battleship and another vessel had been struck by bombs.

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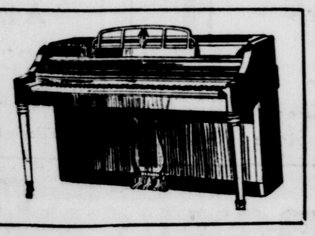

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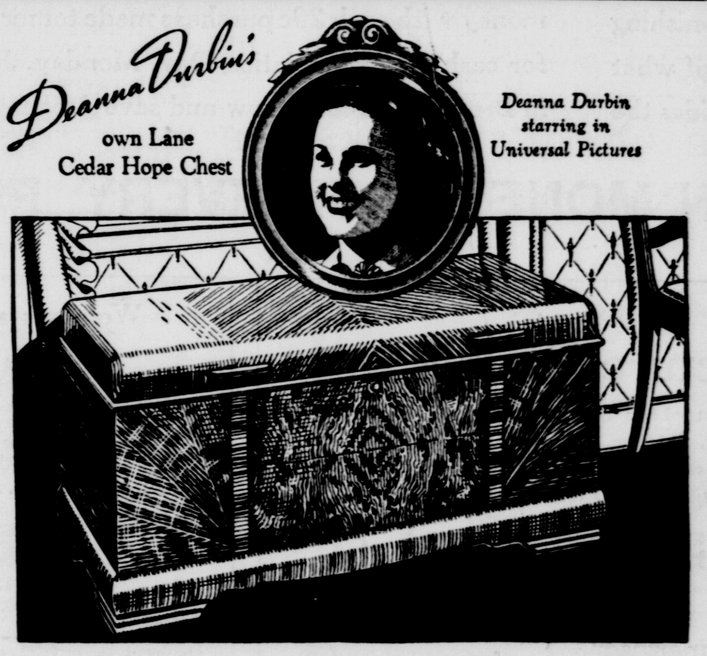

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Roosevelt To Call Private Experts To Assist With Defense Program

Emergency Group Seen To Organize Activity

PULLIAM DUE IN HARLINGEN

To Give Preliminary Census Report

HARLINGEN — Frances W. Pulliam of Laredo, district census supervisor, is due here Monday and is expected to give a preliminary report on Harlingen's 1940 population, according to William C. Anderson, chairman of the chamber of commerce census committee.

Anderson said that he was advised the enumeration was completed and the only thing being checked now were names being phoned in by persons who believe themselves to have been overlooked. A few scattered names are still being received daily at the chamber of commerce, he said. The telephone number is 72" in case there are others who are uncertain as to whether they have been included in the count.

Most Valley towns have been conducting a similar clean-up campaign to find families not yet counted, it was stated.

Legislation Aimed At Fifth Column Acts Being Rushed Through By Congress Units

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Roosevelt's intention to call private experts into the government to help with the extraordinary $3,297,011,352 defense program was announced at the White House Saturday.

Stephen Early, press secretary, disclosed that Roosevelt planned to create a national defense emergency coordination group composed both private individuals and government officials.

The chief executive intended to draw experts from industry, agriculture and labor, transportation, communication, finance and consumers, Early said. They would assist—but not supersede—the government officials, he declared.

While this announcement was being made at the executive offices, legislation aimed at "'fifth column" activities in the United States increased in scope and gained momentum on Capitol Hill.

Drastic Penalties Seen

Recommending Senate passage of a House-approved bill providing drastic penalties for subversive efforts among the armed forces, a Senate judiciary sub-committee added to it a section requiring the finger-printing and registration of all aliens in this country—estimated to number 4,000,000.

Chairman Connally (D-Tex) of the sub-committee told reporters the revised legislation was a necessary part of the preparedness program and would be placed before the full committee Monday.

Other developments touching upon the defense program included:

1. Colonel Frank Knox, Republican vice presidential nominee in 1936, appointed a committee to confer with government officials on means of coordinating civilian support of the President's defense program. The appointees were General Malin Craig, retired, chairman; General Frank R. McCoy, retired; Colonel William J. Donovan, New York and Washington lawyer who led the "fighting 69th" in the World War, and Lewis Douglas of New York, former budget director who left the Roosevelt administration after differing with its fiscal policies.

Fear Is Pointed Out

2. Representative Ditter of Pennsylvania, chairman of the National Republican Congressional Committee, said President Roosevelt's recent defense message to congress had given thousands of people the impression that an attack upon the United States was imminent. This fear must be repelled if the nation is to think clearly and plan wisely, Ditter said in an address prepared for broadcasting, adding that it was also "imperative" to levy additional taxes at this time to meet emergency defense outlays.

3. Senator George (D-Ga) suggested that the United States might buy, for cash, the island possessions of Great Britain, France and Holland in the Carribbean. The question of Allied war debts should not be considered in connection with negotiations for such a purchase, he added in an interview. George suggested also that military training be instituted in CCC camps.

4. The executive committee of the National Grange pledged the vigorous support of agriculture for efforts that would provide an adequate national defense quickly, expressed willingness to work with business and labor against profiteering and suggested an hour be set aside "when all America shall unite in prayer for the preservation of Christianity, democracy and freedom of the individual."

CITIZENS DAY PLAY REVIVED

Meeting Called For Monday Night

BROWNSVILLE — Definite plans to revive plans for a Citizenship Day here will be formulated Monday at 8 p. m. at the Elks hall.

A group of Brownsville citizens interested in reviewing plans called the meeting at a round-table luncheon at the Hotel El Jardin.

Elks Are Sponsors

The responsibility of carrying out plans is to be sponsored by the Elks lodge of Brownsville, Hal Vandever, exalted ruler, said Saturday.

Citizenship Day is the culmination of a program of citizenship training, planned to give young Americans a complete picture of the importance of their part in the administration of public affairs.

All Brownsvilleites interested in furthering the program are urgently asked to attend the Monday night session.

Need Pointed Out

The need for citizenship training, in a world torn by strife and the unleashed forces of subversive influences, was cited at the luncheon.

The Rev. Penrose W. Hirst, who headed the last attempt to hold a Citizenship Day program here, told how plans had been carried to near perfection on paper, but interest lagged when the final push was necessary.

Edinburg Honor Students

Miss Ruth Linnard, left, and Miss Jewel Folmar, right, were highest ranking students among members of the graduating class at Edinburg Junior college this year. Miss Linnard, of McAllen, was valedictorian and Miss Folmar, resident of Edinburg, was salutatorian. High boy member of the class was William Motsch of Pharr. (Kerr Photos.)

RECORD TRIP STORY TOLD

Bishop Moore Tells Of Long Hop

BROWNSVILLE — When Bishop Arthur J. Moore, father of the Rev. William Harry Moore, pastor of the First Methodist church here, arrived in the Valley last autumn, he had completed the longest airplane flight ever undertaken by a missionary.

He was so entranced by the grandeur of the Americas from the air that he was moved to write about it.

His article telling of the trip, mailed from Santiago, Chile, was published recently in the weekly Christian Advocate Magazine.

Bishop Moore made the air voyage by Pan American Airways and Pan American Grace Airways from Buenas Aires to Brownsville after crossing the South Atlantic by boat from South Africa.

"Tall mountains, erupting volcanoes, cities hoary with age and throbbing with life, great and fertile plains have swept by like some huge panorama," the bishop said in describing the adventurous business of Christian missions as seen by PAA.

'GRADS' MAKING LOTS OF FOLKS FEEL KINDA OLD

BROWNSVILLE — Memories jogged, and perhaps a few tears were stifled, or even shed, last week in Brownsville, and the Valley, during graduation ceremonies.

Typical was the remark of Assistant Postmaster C. C. Stewart, while attending the high school commencement here Friday night, that "I can't believe it. I can remember that it was just a short while ago that they were little kids.

"I sort of makes you feel old," the assistant postmaster said as he watched the young men and women step forward for their diplomas.

Mr. Stewart has a daughter graduating this week from North Texas State Teachers College, and he recalled that it was "just a short while ago that she was a youngster with curly hair."

Mrs. Velten Leader Of Women's Council

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. W. A. Velten was elected president of the Woman's Council of the Central Christian church at a business session here recently.

Mrs. Paul Bretz was chosen first vice president; Mrs. G. B. Bowman, second vice president; Mrs. W. K. Clore, secretary; Mrs. Henry Ehardt, treasurer, and Mrs. W. S. Lanthorn, literature chairman.

MISSION — Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bridges and children arrived Thursday from Beaumont for a ten day visit with Mrs. Bridges' sister, Mrs. John Wolf, and Mr. Wolf.

Solon Outhits Marksmen With New U.S. Army Rifle

Says Targets 'Too Large'; Garand And New Johnson Automatic Tested By Lundeen

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senator Lundeen (Fl—Minn), outspoken foe of war and at times a critic of administration defense policies, helped impress fellow legislators with a new army weapon recently by outshooting crack military riflemen.

At a demonstration, asked by Congressmen, of the Army's semi-automatic Garand rifle and a rival gun, the Johnson rifle, Senator Lundeen scored 28 bulls-eyes without a miss, using both weapons.

With the same rifles and at the same distance of 300 yards, crack shots of the 12th Infantry were less consistent.

A 61-year-old veteran of the Spanish-American war, Lundeen rose from his elbows after centering 16 successive shots with the Garand, and observed 'those targets are too big."

At the Camp Perry, Ohio, national rifle matches, he said, the bulls-eyes were only 10 inches in diameter instead of 20.

The Garand fires eight shots without re-loading, and about two and one-half times as fast as the standard Springfield. The Johnson fires eleven successive shots.

Production Up

Stocks Of Crude Oil Show Increase

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Bureau of Mines reported Saturday stocks of domestic and foreign crude petroleum at the close of the week ended May 18 totaled 257,647,000 barrels, a net increase of 589,000 barrels compared with the previous week and foreign crude decreased 46,000 barrels.

Daily average production for the week was 3,835,000 barrels, an increase of 10,000 barrels compared with the previous week's level. Runs to stills averaged 3,665,000 barrels daily, compared with 3,620,000 barrels for the preceding week. Daily average imports were 129,000 barrels, an increase of 17,000 barrels during the week.

Rangerville Student To Graduate At Tech

HARLINGEN—Miss Dorothy Uki Saimotsu of Rangerville, near here, is a candidate for graduation at Texas Technological College at Lubbock. Miss Saimotsu will take a bachelor of science degree in foods and nutrition.

McALLEN—Dr. S. Joe McKinsey has been issued a building permit for the construction of a $3,500 brick veneer residence on B-C street, City Inspection Engineer C. C. Eckhoff announced Saturday.

McAllen Entertains 4-H Club Boys, Dads

McALLEN—Members of the 4-H clubs and their fathers were guests of the McAllen Chamber of Commerce agricultural Friday night at a picnic in Archer Park here.

Paul T. Vickers, chamber manager, welcomed the boys as the "aristocrats of farming," declaring that one of the ambitions of his work as a chamber executive was to keep McAllen farm minded, as "in my opinion McAllen and other Valley cities will always be agricultural communities, with practically all industries related to agriculture."

W. H. Gardner, assistant farm agent, explained the object of the meeting was to interest fathers of the 4-H boys in their sons' work. President George Rylander of the boys' group presided. Talks were made by George Colbath, Harold Reynolds, Dale Jackson, Ed McGinnis, Kenneth Alley, Kiwanis president, and Aaron Reynolds.

County Agent R. G. Burwell said the county now has 465 farm club members, whereas six years ago there were about 15. Burwell exhorted the fathers to give moral support to the boys in their various projects. Every boy described his project. Conrad Roitsch, agriculture committee member, was introduced.

Assisting Gardner and the McAllen chamber in preparing the picnic were the McAllen Bakery, Rutledge's Potato Chip Factory, McAllen Ice Cream Company, Coca Cola Bottling Company and the McGinnis Dairy. Food left after the dinner was donated to the Salvation Army.

Beer Signs Stay

Control Board Power Outlined By Mann

AUSTIN — (AP) — Signs or billboards advertising beer, wine or whiskey are subject to no control by the state liquor board except where morals or health are concerned, Attorney General Gerald C. Mann ruled Saturday.

Liquor Administrator Bert Ford, stating the board was receiving increasing complaints on wide usage of small tin beer signs, asked the attorney general whether the board was empowered to regulate use of such advertising.

Press Meet Program Includes Valley Men

MISSION—Two Lower Rio Grande Valley newspapermen, Joe T. Cook, publisher of the Mission Times, and Brad Smith, McAllen correspondent for Texas dailies, will appear on the program of the 61st annual convention to the Texas Press Association at Mineral Wells on June 13-15.

FSA DISTRICT LEADER NAMED

Mrs. Mary Gipe New Supervisor

WESLACO — Mrs. Mary Ruth Gipe, Edinburg, has been appointed district home management supervisor for the Farm Security Administration in the nine-county area of the Valley and vicinity and will make her headquarters in Weslaco.

Word of the appointment came from C. M. Evans, regional FSA director, in an Associated Press dispatch.

Previous to Mrs. Gipe's appointment, the Rio Grande area home management work had been directed from San Antonio. Mrs. Gipe was engaged in home management work for the FSA while located at Edinburg.

Office of J. W. Evans, district farm supervisor for the FSA, also is located here. County farm supervisor offices are located at Edinburg, San Benito and Raymondville.

Go To Guatemala

Former Area Woman Plans Tour

MERCEDES—Dr. Marie Betzner Morrow, former Valley girl, left Friday by plane for a tour of Guatemala with Dr. Ethel Ida Sanborn of Corvallis, Oregon, professor of cryptogamic botony at Oregon State College and Carnegie research fellow in paleo-botany. Dr. Morrow is professor of biology at the University of Texas. They plan to make some studies while in Guatemala and will return by plane, possibly by way of the Valley.

Dr. Morrow's mother, Mrs. Mary Morrow, lives at Mercedes, and a sister, Mrs. Rogers Kelley, resides at Edinburg.

Dr. Morrow entertained for Dr. Sanborn and Mrs. Kelley in Austin this week with a morning coffee at the home economics tea house. About 100 guests were present.

Magician Is Unable To Enter Own House

GREEN BAY, Wis.—(AP)—No wonder Fred Cobb, who lost the key to his home, was so embarrassed at having to call firemen to help him gain entrance through a window by means of a ladder.

He is a magician by avocation.

DALLAS MAN NO-BILLED

DALLAS—(AP)—Lewis Stone, 48, who was found shot to death Thursday after being charged with an attempted criminal attack on a nine-year-old girl, was no-billed Saturday by the county grand jury. A suicide verdict was returned in Stone's death.

Child Fund Aided

40 And 8 Will Get Station Profits

SAN BENITO — Officials of La Societe des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux, Voiture Locale 231, San Benito, said Saturday all profits of operation at the new Cities Service station at Robert's Garage here on Wednesday, May 29, would be turned over to the voiture for use in the child welfare fund.

The money will be used locally this summer to treat under-nourished and tubercular children confined to their beds. Dr. E. O. Seiser, chef de gare, said plans are "to get these children on their feet so they will be able to enter school at the beginning of the next school semester."

Members of the 40 and 8 will be at the station to check pumps and make change, Seiser said.

Townsend Clubbers To Elect Officers

HARLINGEN—Harlingen Townsend club will meet in the city hall auditorium here Monday at 8 p. m., to elect council officers and name delegates to the national convention, I. A. Baker, president, said Saturday.

MISSION — Mrs. Gibbs Spiller of Austin is in Mission for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Julius Franki, and Mr. Franki.

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Maverick Sees Fight At Democratic Meet

Garner Supporters Are Accused Of Plans To Take Control Of Convention

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Mayor Maury Maverick, staunch third-term supporter, Saturday predicted "trouble" at the state Democratic convention in Waco Tuesday and accused a group of Garner-For-President leaders with an agreement to take over exclusive control of the meeting.

"It's going to be a tough fight if they try to sell us down the river," Maverick said.

Maverick was chosen chairman of the Bexar county delegation at a meeting which disclosed strong Roosevelt support. He referred to the recent Garner-Roosevelt "pace agreement" by which Garner supporters were not to attempt to "stop Roosevelt," and third-termers were to declare for Vice President Garner—in preliminary balloting at least.

"At the Munich agreement," Maverick said, "we agreed to give them Sudetenland, but we don't intend to give them Poland, Czechoslovakia and Norway, too."

The mayor charged that certain Garner leaders met in Dallas and agreed to take over the convention to the exclusion of third-term delegates.

A dinner for "underprivileged delegates," he said, would be given in a Waco hotel Sunday night. They will listen to the president's radio address, Maverick added.

Anniversary

Forty years with one company, and he never missed a payday! That's the record of Brownsville City Commissioner Charles Norfleet Hill, above, agent for Railway Express in Brownsville, who celebrates his 40th anniversary with the firm Tuesday.

Artillery Battle

French Guns Fire On Nazi Gibraltar

BASEL—(AP)—A five-hour artillery battle between the French Maginot fortifications and Germany's "Gibraltar of the Rhine" at Istein shattered the comparative silence of the Rhine river front early Saturday.

French guns in the forts at Filgensburg, seven miles west of Basel, began hammering the Istein rock which, like Gibraltar, is pierced with firing galleries and is regarded as one of the Reich's greatest forts.

After half an hour the Germans began returning the fire.

MORE NEW OIL FIELDS

AUSTIN—(AP)—Thirteen new oil fields were discovered in Texas the first quarter of 1940, the railroad commission, which regulates the state's oil industry, reported Saturday.

COURT DENIES VENUE CHANGE

Exchange Heads Are Back In Valley

WESLACO—Officials of the Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange returned Friday from Dallas, where they testified in a hearing on plea of privilege under which they had attempted to have venue in a suit styled Leche and Leche vs. the Exchange removed from the 44th district court in Dallas county to the Hidalgo county district court.

District Judge W. L. Thornton ruled in Dallas that the change of venue should not be granted and denied the plea, from which ruling the exchange excepted and gave notice of appeal.

The Leche advertising firm, which seeks judgment approximating $22,000 from the exchange in a suit over an advertising contract, unsuccessfully sought a temporary injunction to prevent the exchange from disbursing its funds during pendency of the suit. Then the exchange sought to move the case to Hidalgo county for trial on its merits.

MAN DIES IN CRASH

DALHART—(AP)—L. B. Eaton, 55, of Dalhart, was injured fatally Saturday when an automobile driven by L. E. Isabel overturned near here. Isabel was not injured severely.

HIDALGO TAX AID PROGRAM SUCCEEDING

April Collections Are High In County

EDINBURG — Hidalgo county's long-range program of adjusting property valuations and delinquent taxes on a basis that will be equitable when the property's earning power is gaining steady headway, Tax Assessor-Collector Clay Everhard said Saturday.

The project is resulting in increased collections of delinquent taxes and in a more favorable showing on current tax payments, he declared.

Total county tax collections in April reached $55,108.81, of which $9,830.07 were current payments including liquor taxes, and $45,278.74 were in delinquent assessments.

No Reduction Available

Everhard estimated that as much as 30 per cent of all taxable property in the county is "strapped" by delinquent taxes and, although productive, the market value of the property is only one-half or one-third of the total tax bill against it. He blamed several conditions for this circumstance. Many of the delinquent taxes date back to 1930, about the time the depression "hit" in this section, at a time when valuations were at their peak and taxes were heavy. As a result, owners allowed their holdings to go delinquent and since then have been unable to make sufficient revenue from the lands to pay the tax bills.

Under the 1935 county refunding agreement, still in effect, the county has no recourse under law toward reduction of such taxes, but in many cases has been able to adjust the assessments to such an extent that the overdue taxes have been liquidated through installment or full payments, Everhard explained.

Co-operation Excellent

The county is receiving what the collector termed "excellent co-operation" from water and school districts and cities in making such adjustments where payments are possible. In some instances, the smaller subdivisions have been more eager than the county to reduce the taxes so the land can be placed on a current basis.

Everhard claims the program has a two-fold reward in that it takes the property off the delinquent rolls and places it on a current basis so payments can be continued. Thus the county receives revenue it could otherwise not exact because of inability of owners to make payments.

The assessor-collector said about two more years of continued effort in the direction of adjusting old, heavy tax bills is still needed before the county approaches a current condition on a large majority of land.

Honored

Veteran Educator Gets Presents

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Annie S. Putegnat, principal of Washington Park school here, was presented a piece of luggage and a leather purse Friday by the school Parent-Teachers' Association, in a special program at the school auditorium.

Pupils made the presentation. Mr. Antonia A. de Garcia and Mrs. Leonor P. de Borja as a special committee aided P.-T. A. officers in contacting members of the organization who contributed to the gifts.

President is Mrs. Severa A. de Sayas; secretary, Mrs. Amelia V. de Tamez; and treasurer, Mrs. J. de los Santos.

Pole Climber Hurt In Bathtub Tumble

GOLDENDALE, Wash.— (AP) —Elmer Hansen, a lineman who climbs tall power poles daily, is receiving hospital treatment for a tumble. He slipped in his bathtub, landed on his chest and injured his diaphram.

Wife Of Salvation Army Chief Killed

PARIS—(AP)—The French press reported Saturday that a Mrs. Climpson, wife of the Salvation Army's director of recreation centers with the British expeditionary force, had been killed in a German air raid near Arras.

McAllen Lions See Film On Navy Life

McALLEN—Navy Recruiting Officer I. B. Hayes, Harlingen Friday showed pictures of the United States Navy at the luncheon meeting of the McAllen Lions Club. Films showed the Navy's defense strength and life among sailors.

SHOWER GIVEN

RANGERVILLE—A pleasing hospitality of the week was the shower given by Mrs. Fannie Minor Peters to honor Mrs. Bob Ross of Houston.

After an afternoon of games and contests dainty refreshments were served to guests and a number of children.

RESIGNATION ACCEPTED

AUSTIN—(AP)—Resignation of Assistant Attorney General Dick Stout, formerly of Houston and a member of the state's legal staff more than three years, was accepted Saturday by Attorney General Gerald C. Mann.

KIRKLAND RECOVERS

EDINBURG—County Clerk Oscar Kirkland is expected to return to his duties at the Hidalgo county courthouse Monday. He has been recuperating for the past two weeks from an operation performed at San Antonio.

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7:00 a. m.
KRGV—Coast to Coast on Bus
KWKH—Morning Varieties
WLW—Children's Hour
7:30 a. m.
KRGV—Coast to Coast on Bus
KPRC—Skypilot
WOAI—Sunday Drivers
KWKH—C. L. Embrey
WLW—Children's Hour
8:00 a. m.
KRGV—Valley Radio Chapel
KPRC—Bright and Early Choir
KTSA—Church of The Air
WOAI—Bright and Early
KWKH—Church of Air
WLW—Church Forum
8:30 a. m.
KRGV—Southernaires
KPRC—Robert Stewart
KTSA—Christian Science
WOAI—Robt Stewart
KWKH—March of Games
WLW—Robt. Stewart orch
9:00 a. m.
KRGV—Chuck Wagon Gang
KPRC—Homes on Land
KTSA—Chuck Wagon Gang
WOAI—Program Resume
KWKH—Sunday Players
WLW—News Review
9:30 a. m.
KRGV—Real Estate Hour
KPRC—T. J. Bettes Company
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—Music and Youth
KWKH—Major Bowes
WLW—Happy Jim Parsons
10:00 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—News
KWKH—Major Bowes
WLW—Radio City Music Hall
10:30 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Salt Lake City Choir
WOAI—On Your Job
KWKH—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir
WLW—Radio City Music Hall
11:00 a. m.
KRGV—Pilgrimage of Poetry
KTSA—Church of the Air
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Cadle Tabernacle Choir
11:30 a. m.
KRGV—Al and Lee Resler orch
KTSA—Travis Park Services
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Silver Strings
12:00 noon
KRGV—Song Trails
KTSA—Salute to Americas
WOAI—Salute to Americas
KWKH—Salute to Americas
WLW—Music of Masters
12:30 p. m.
KRGV—Salon Silhouttes
KPRC—Song Service
KTSA—So You Know Music?
WOAI—University Chicago Round Table
KWKH—So You Know Music?
WLW—Peters—Organ
1:00 p. m.
KRGV—News and Weather
KPRC—Fogle-West Ensemble
KTSA—Columbia Symphony
WOAI—I Want A Divorce
KWKH—Columbia Symphony
WLW—Your Easy Chair
1:30 p. m.
KRGV—Dance Music
KPRC—Christian Science
KTSA—Columbia Symphony
WOAI—European News
KWKH—Columbia Symphony
WLW—Dayton Y.M.C.A.
2:00 p.m.
KRGV—National Vespers
KPRC—Sunday Players
KTSA—Columbia Symphony
WOAI—Glen Gray orch
KWKH—Sports vs Rebels
WLW—Will Osborn orch
2:30 p. m.
KRGV—Chamber Music Society
KPRC—The World Is Yours
KTSA—Invitation to Learning
WOAI—The World Is Yours
KWKH—Spots vs Rebels
WLW—Aldrich Family
3:00 p. m.
KRGV—Christian Science
KPRC—Yvette
KTSA—Sports Quiz
WOAI—Old Fashioned Revival
KWKH—Sports vs Rebels
WLW—Musical Steelmakers
3:30 p. m.
KRGV—Voice of Hawaii
KPRC—From Hollywood
KTSA—Sweet Rhythm
WOAI—Old Fashioned Revival
KWKH—Sports vs Rebels
WLW—World Is Yours
4:00 p. m.
KRGV—Gordon Gray orch
KPRC—Catholic Hour
KTSA—Exploring Music
WOAI—Catholic Hour
KWKH—Sports vs Rebels
WLW—Church By Road
4:30 p. m.
KRGV—Cavalcade of Hits
KPRC—Melody Memory Moments
KTSA—Gene Autrey
WOAI—Band Festival
KWKH—Gene Autry
WLW—Ted Weems orch
5:00 p. m.
KRGV—European Roundup
KPRC—Jack Benny
KTSA—News of World
WOAI—Jack Benny
KWKH—News of World
WLW—Jack Benny
5:30 p. m.
KRGV—Birthday Party
KPRC—Bandwagon
KTSA—Ellery Queen
WOAI—Band Wagon
KWKH—Ellery Queen
WLW—Professor Quizz
6:00 p. m.
KRGV—Musical Comedy Revue
KPRC—Charlie McCarthy
KTSA—Concert in Rhythm
WOAI—Charley McCarthy
KWKH—Concert in Rhythm
WLW—Charley McCarthy
6:30 p. m.
KRGV—Dance Music Ty Cobb 6:45
KPRC—One Man's Family
KTSA—Song Styles
WOAI—One Man's Family
KWKH—Song Styles
WLW—One Man's Family
7:00 p. m.
KRGV—Music for Reading
KPRC—Walter Winchell
KTSA—Summer Hour
WOAI—Walter Winchell
KWKH—Summer Hour
WLW—Walter Winchell
7:30 p. m.
KRGV—News, Weather
KPRC—Album Familiar Music
KTSA—Summer Hour
WOAI—Album of Music
KWKH—Summer Hour
WLW—Irene Rich
8:00 p. m.
KRGV—Allan Prescott
KPRC—Hour of Charm
KTSA—Yesterday's Melodies
WOAI—Hour of Charm
KWKH—Take It or Leave It
WLW—Hour of Charm
8:30 p. m.
KRGV—Bobby Byrnes orch
KPRC—Richard Himber
KTSA—Columbia Workshop
WOAI—Richard Himber orch
KWKH—Richard Himber orch
WLW—Amazing America
9:00 p. m.
KRGV—AP News
KPRC—SS Algonquin
KTSA—News Review
WOAI—AP News
KWKH—Headlines
WLW—This Land of Ours
9:30 p. m.
KRGV—Jack Benny
KRPC—Allen Roth orch
KTSA—Kay Kyser orch.
WOAI—Music
KWKH—Kay Kyser orch.
WLW—Moonlight Gardens orch
10:00 p. m.
KRGV—News, Sports
KPRC—Ben Pollock orch
KTSA—News by Air
WOAI—News
KWKH—Ray Noble orch
WLW—Peter Grant, News
10:30 p. m.
KRGV—Charles Spivak orch
KRPC—Francis Craig orch
KTSA—Orrin Tucker orch
WOAI—Sunday Serenade
KWKH—Jack Coffee orch
WLW—Barney Rapp orch
11:00 p. m.
KRGV—Sign off
KPRC—Carl Molino
KTSA—Pliner and Earl orch
WOAI—Carlos Molino orch
KWKH—Pliner and Earl orch
WLW—Al Donahue orch
11:30 p. m.
KPRC—Radio Chapel
KTSA—Will McCune orch.
WOAI—Billy McDonald Orchestra
KWKH—Will McCune orch
WLW—Moon River

Latin American Fifth Column Watched

WASHINGTON —(AP)— "Fifth column" activities in Latin America, widely expected to multiply many times in case of a German victory in Europe, are occupying the close attention of officials in several government departments.

The officials do not attempt to hide their conviction that if Adolf Hitler wins in Europe his preoccupation in the western hemisphere will not be, at least at first, any direct military threat to these shores, but rather German political activities within the 20 Latin American Republics and the United States.

Such activities, they feel, will be aided by Italian Fascist influences in Latin America, just as Italy is aiding Germany in Europe now by distracting a considerable portion of the French land and British sea forces from the main field of battle.

Various methods for solving the question of German penetration in Latin America are being actively considered. They hinge largely around the view that this is a problem for all of Pan America, not merely the United States, and that the most effective results can be achieved through joint effort of all the republics.

Officials believe that, to avoid the feeling that the United States is engaging in "Yankee Imperialism" in combatting German influence in Latin America, she should have the assistance of the other American republics. If any republic feels it is unable of its own efforts to combat the German activities, it should receive a species of Pan American assistance rather than United States assistance alone.

Reports are constantly reaching the capital of active Nazi influence in Latin America. In Uruguay a government committee has just reported that German propaganda is being spread there in a highly organized form. Mexico also engaged the attention of officials here as the result of reports that Nazi efforts are stirring up trouble there.

The German influence in some Latin American republics is partly based on their large German populations. It is impossible to say how many Germans are living in Latin America, because it is impossible to say exactly what is a German—is he one who came to the western hemisphere in the last few years, or one of the second generation, the third or the fourth?

German populations are strong in Argentina, Southern Chile, Brazil, Mexico and Guatemala. Perhaps the total number of Germans in Latin America is somewhere between 3,000,000 and 5,000,000. They have been much less assimilated than the Italians who, being Latins, more closely resemble the Spanish and Portuguese stock.

Prior to the outbreak of the war in September some of the Latin American republics had Fascist or Nazi parties which were in friendly correspondence with, if not under the domination of, the German Nazi or the Italian Fascist parties. The State Department has not forgotten the abortive attempt of the Integralistas in Brazil to take possession of the government and set up a Fascist dictatorship.

Since the outbreak of the war these parties have decreased in open influence, but their members still remain. Reports reaching here indicate that they are propagating a defeatist current of thought to convince the local populations that a German victory is inevitable and an Allied collapse and breakup certain.

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Nazi Air Force, Jap Navy Are Greatest Threats To American Security

ORGANIZATION OF COALITION GROUP URGED

British Naval Might Seen Nazi Block

By ROGER W. BABSON

RICHMOND, Va., — From the welter of war and armament news of the past fortnight, there are several conclusions that stick out like lighthouses on a dark and rocky shore. First, the war will not be won by Germany until the British navy is scuttled and the French army routed. Second, in a Hitler-controlled Europe, the Nazi air force and the Japanese navy are the two greatest threats to American security. Third, we must cut out "politics" in the United States and form a Coalition Cabinet. Fourth, in the shattered world of 1940, only a spiritual swakening will enable us to meet successfully the economic and political upheavals ahead.

The vital military question that existed when Hitler gave the fateful order to invade Poland last September is still unanswered. That question is, "Can the German air force break the French army and sink the British navy?" Germany has not won this war until that question is answered in her favor. British sea power has ruled Europe since 1588. Until the Royal Navy is broken, England is still the top-notch European nation. Hitler and his powerful juggernaut have done a magnificent job from a military standpoint, but there is nothing yet which indicates a decisive defeat for the Allies.

Lee And Hitler

If the Nazis, air power can break the French army, they are well on their way to victory; but remember their air force must also sink the British navy. Hitler's position is very similar to that of General Robert E. Lee in the War Between The States. Lee was a brilliant general, but he needed western horses and what, northern iron and textiles. The Union's huge, but bungling, land and sea forces choked off these essential supplies without which Lee could not hope to win, no matter how brilliant his blitzkriegs, no matter how daring his lightning thrusts.

Hitler is in the same position. He cannot force Britain and France to their knees so long as they can cut off his food and oil, his iron and copper. So, the big unanswered question is today, just as it was last September, "Can Hitler's air force pulverize the French army and smash the British navy?" America, to be safe, however, must now prepare for an unfavorable answer. A Hitler controlled Europe immediately changes the entire outlook for American security. If the Germans win, we will inevitably tangle with them over the enforcement of the Monroe Doctrine. Hence, a German victory means a gigantic increase in our tax bills to cover defense costs for this country.

Hitler Victory Costly

It means an immediate outlay of $5,000,000,000 for a second navy to replace the British Navy which is now patrolling the Atlantic for us. In addition, we must spend at least $3,000,000,000 more per year to maintain a sufficient air and land force to back up the two fleets. We would need an Atlantic navy because we cannot afford to take our present fleet out of the Pacific. Not only must we protect ourselves against Germany, but also against Japan. Her navy is growing by leaps and bounds. It is difficult to get accurate figures, but many observers believe the Japanese navy is now about 75 per cent as large as ours. One of the biggest reasons for these gains is the fact that Japan gets twice as much ship for every dollar she spends as we do.

The wide disparity in costs is due to the varying prices for labor and raw materials. There is no eight-hour day in Japan, no five-day week, no labor unions. We are furnishing Japan with many of the essential materials with which she builds her battleships. To Der Fuehrer and Il Duce, the United States is crazy to supply Japan with the materials she needs to build a huge navy whose main purpose is to menace the United States. Hitler and Mussolini would put a stop to such practice in less time than it takes to tell about it. In the tremendous defense job that faces us, nothing—neither labor leaders nor wage-hour restrictions—must be allowed to stand in our way as they did in France.

More Efficiency Needed

If Germany's blitzkrieg wins, we will be living in a hostile world. Totalitarian governments will face us on all sides. For our own security, we must inject some of the efficiency of the dictator nations into our own democracy. As the first move toward such a goal, we need a spiritual awakening which will emphasize that courage is the only security and progress comes only through willingness to sacrifice. There is no question that Hitler chose 1940 because he was sure there was nothing to fear from American intervention. He knew that 1940 would be a year of political disarmament in America.

Many suggestions have been made in the last few days calling for a coalition government. My feeling is that whoever wins the election this November should include in his Cabinet representatives from ALL parties. Whether we get into the war or not, there are great sums to be spent and great problems to be solved. These vast sums should be expended and these problems should be tackled under the direction of a Coalition Cabinet. "Politics" must be prevented from handicapping us in this gigantic task. Moreover, as a solution of our domestic problems, it will give the nation renewed confidence if all candidates will promise to bring a Coalition Cabinet to Washington!

PORT ISABEL FISHING SCHOONER IS DETAINED IN TAMPICO BY MEXICAN COAST GUARD CUTTER

Above is shown the 14-ton fishing schooner "The Neptuna," out of Port Isabel, which was detained by Mexican authorities off Tampico Saturday when she appeared in Mexican territorial waters without government permission. Below is shown Captain Leon Davis, master of the vessel which is owned by George Foote of Dallas. (Photos by Johnny Martin.)

Men Are Released By Authorities But Boat Is Held

PORT ISABEL—Mexican government officials in Tampico Saturday held the "Neptuna" 60-foot auxiliary schooner, out of Port Isabel, after it was seized by a Mexican coast guard cutter off Tampico, according to word received here.

Capt. Leon Davis, with the boat's owner, George Foote of Dallas, and a crew of five commercial fishermen, were detained for a short while, but were released after making statements to the Mexican authorities.

Left Tuesday Night

The "Neptuna," which is one of the largest boats in the coastwise fishing service and operates out of Port Isabel a large part of the year, left Port Isabel last Tuesday night for a fishing trip of a week or ten days.

Commander Pedro Calderon, of the Cutter G-23, which escorted the "Neptuna" into Tampico, said he stopped the vessel about a half mile off shore. He ordered the American boat to stop for search, and although he found nothing suspicious, he detained the vessel on a charge of violating Mexican laws which prohibit navigation in coastal waters without a permit.

Owner Is Questioned

In his statement to the Mexican officials, Foote said he had bought the "Neptuna" three months ago.

Capt. Davis told the Mexican authorities that he had not intended taking the vessel into Mexican territorial waters.

At Port Isabel, J. H. Schmidt, commercial fish house operator, said the "Neptuna" had left Port Isabel Tuesday night for a regular fishing trip.

No Word Received

Schmidt said that he owned no interest in the vessel, but that Foote sold him whatever fish he happened to bring in. He said Foote is not a commercial fisherman, but a railroad businessman, and makes the trip with the "Neptuna" for recreation.

No word has been received from the vessed since it left Port Isabel, Schmidt said.

The "Neptuna" was one of the vessels that searched the Gulf several months ago when the "Jerry Ann" fishing boat was lost with two men aboard.

POPE SPEEDS RAID REFUGE

Diplomats Offered Use Of Shelters

VATICAN CITY—(AP)—Papal authorities Saturday recognized the possibility of Italian entrance into the war by offering refuge to diplomats accredited to the Holy See and speeding completion of Vatican City's air raid shelters.

Prelates indicated Pope Pius XII is convinced Italy is going to war but that he refuses to leave Vatican City or consider using the air raid shelter provided especially for him.

The offer of refuge was made by Luigi Cardinal Maglione, Papal secretary of state. The diplomats, who ordinarily live outside the Vatican City, were asked by letter to say whether they would return to their countries or take up residence in Vatican City in event Italy dropped her non-belligerency.

Bombing of Vatican City—Slightly less than 109 acres at the edge of Rome—is considered highly improbable in ecclesiastical circles, even if Rome itself is bombed.

But scrupulous concern for safety of the city's inhabitants, numbering about 1,000, caused building of shelters, since it might be difficult for bombers to distinguish the Papal city, particularly at night during blackouts.

Texas Truck Crops Show Small Advance

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas truck crops did not make much advancement during the first half of May.

The agricultural marketing service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture reported cool nights and lack of moisture in some areas resulted in materially reduced prospects.

NOVEL DEFENSE IDEAS OFFERED TO SENATE UNIT

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Uncle Sam has been offered a lot of novel suggestions since "total" war struck Europe.

Here are a few of the ideas recommended to the Senate military affairs committee:

A machine to spray the enemy with liquid cement, which would harden, immobilizing the troops.

A parachute bomb to be shot into the midst of attacking planes. The hovering planes would collide with the bombs, detonating them, thus causing "horrible slaughter to the attacker."

A "magic grease" which, when poured down a cannon barrel, would increase velocity and range 20 times.

Unemployment Drop Reported For April

NEW YORK—(AP)—Unemployment dropped to 8,981,000 in April from 9,267,000 in March, a decline of 3.1 per cent, the National Industrial Conference Board said Saturday.

There were 614,000 fewer men and women without work last month than in April last year, the board said.

PRESS CHIEF FLAYS KING

Nazi Says England Started War

BERLIN—(AP)—Dr. Otto Dietrich, Adolph Hitler's own press chief, Saturday replied to the Empire Day broadcast of King George VI with the warning, "German arms, will, George of England, give the reply that is due you."

Addressing the King as "you miserable hypocrite," Dietrich answered charges of German aggression in a half-page article carried by the German press under the red-ink caption "Reply to a King."

He declared England was responsible for the war and its horrors.

"Your address, George of England, was not royal but pitiable, the Nazi press chief said.

"If you were a man then, now, in the hour of decision as a challenger who must face his fate on the battlefield, you should have acknowledged the reasons which caused England to unleash this war, instead of hiding hypocritically behind moral principles which you have no right whatever to invoke."

VFW Meeting Is Set

HARLINGEN — Regular meeting of the Harlingen V. F. W. Auxiliary will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall here Tuesday at 7:30 p. m., officers announced Saturday.

Estimate Is Given On American Wheat

WASHINGTON—(AP)— The Agriculture Department reported Saturday that the American wheat supply in the 1940-41 season would total approximately 963,000,000 bushels on the basis of present indications.

This includes an estimated 1940 crop of 675,000,000 bushels and a July 1 carry-over of 288,000,000 bushels of old grain.

Belgian Refugees Go Through Paris

PARIS—(AP)—Approximately 200,000 Belgian refugees have passed through Paris on their way to shelter in designated areas of France and more are still coming, Belgian authorities said Saturday.

French People Told To Beware Orders

PARIS —(AP)— Premier Reynaud cautioned the French people Saturday to beware of false orders which, he said, German agents are spreading by telephone and handbills with signatures of French officials —sometimes even his own.

Auxiliary To Meet

HARLINGEN — Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary meeting, set for last week, will be held Tuesday, May 28, at the Harlingen Methodist Church, at 3 p. m., according to announcement Saturday.

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AIR EXPRESS SHOWS GAINS

April Increase Is 42 Percent

BROWNSVILLE — Air express shipments increased 42.3 per cent at the Brownsville airport in April, compared with the same month a year ago, C. N. Hill, agent for Railway Express, said Saturday.

The air express shipments totaled 1,032 in April, compared with 725 of April, 1939, an increase of 307 shipments, Mr. Hill stated.

Mr. Hill further revealed a 23.38 per cent increase in air express revenue for the month here.

The European war, with resultant marked increases in business and travel between the United States and Latin America, was cited as the predominant factor for the spurt.

Air lines here recently doubled schedules from eight to 16 planes daily to provide for the flow.

There was an 18.76 per cent nation-wide increase in air express shipments in March, and a 19.6 per cent in gross revenue, the nation-wide figures showed.

Thanks Given

5000 Visit Exhibit In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE—The WPA sewing room here Saturday concluded "This Work Pays Your Community Week" following a series of open nights and exhibits.

About 5,000 Brownsvilleites thronged the quarters during the week here to see the work underway in the 11 different departments.

Mrs. Olga Bodwell, supervisor, Saturday expressed thanks to city officials, merchants and others, who cooperated.

Crack France-Italy Express Run Halted

PARIS—(AP)—The Simplon-Orient express, one of Europe's crack trains, running from Paris through Switzerland to Italy, has been cancelled as an "economy measure," the ministry of public works announced Saturday. It said this action was only temporary.

Anti-Fifth Column Group Is Proposed

AUSTIN—(AP)—State Representative James E. Taylor of Kerens, a lieutenant in the National Guard, Saturday proposed that American Legion post and battery and company commanders of the guard be organized into an anti-Fifth Column group in Texas.

British Fliers Shot By Irish Policemen

BELFAST, Northern Ireland—(AP)—Three British fliers, returning to an airfield in County Antrim by automobile Friday night, were shot and slightly wounded by highway police whose challenge they apparently failed to hear.

Navy Launches New Destroyer Vessel

BOSTON—(AP)—The Navy launched a new 1,630-ton $5,500,000 destroyer, the U. S. Gwin, Saturday at the Boston Navy Yard, where four other destroyers are being built.

Outdoor Musical Revue Scheduled For McAllen

Little Theatre Director Combs Valley For Talent; Presentation Set June 3

McALLEN—Taking a flier into the outdoors in a presentation guaranteed to be something new and very different, the Valley Little Theatre will offer a revue June 3 in the patio of the Casa de Palmas Hotel at 8:30 p.m.

The west end of the patio will be converted into a stage—and the audience will sit under the starlight as the skits are shown in clever arrangement.

The program will be fast moving, Director Paul Moore said, Saturday, thrilled with the idea of an outdoor show in the sub-tropical summertime. There will be sketches, singing, dancing and a brief but classy style show. The natural scenery will be augmented by special scenic effects in the dramatized song numbers

Moore has combed the Valley for talent and has acquired this interesting array:

Mrs. H. R. Kamlah, Mrs. Marvin Downs, Mrs. Fred Petsch, Lester Brecht, Marvin Downs, Connie Green, Mrs. Jack Nelson, Lila Beth Culwell, Eva Sue Murphy, Becky Clark, Phyliss Jones, Nikki St. Ore David Calvin, Orin Anderson, Frank Crabtree, Stonley Addington, Woody Pride, Frances Jennings, and many others whose names will be divulged at a later date.

The musical accompaniments will be played on pianos and an electric organ by Mrs. J. Faye Jones and Jimmie Martin

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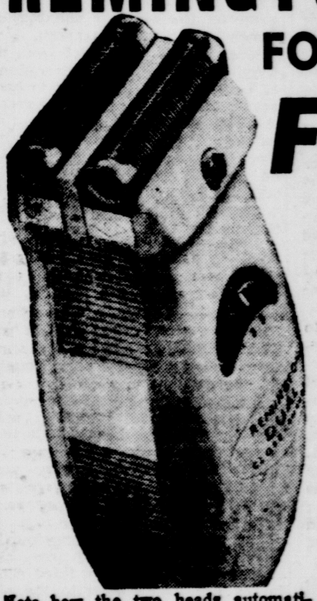

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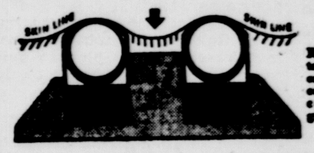

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DUG OUTA The SPORTS BAG!

By E.C. Doc OSBORN

Baseball's Import

Somehow we cannot refrain from passing on t those who may have missed reading the following editorial, which appe red in the Greensboro, N. C., Daily News and which has been copied freely.

With conditions such as they are abroad we fe that the editorial might bring home to many just one fact that should make all of us realize how wonderful it is to be living in the greatest nation on earth. And how thankful we should be for the privilege of living here.

Somehow the opening of the baseball season—formally characterized by the inauguration of play in the major leagues today and spreading into hu..dreds of minor leagues and endless towns and hamlets where the play runs from semi - professional organizations down to youngsters who with a yarn ball and available pieces of board engag in two old cat—strikes us as meaning more to the country, in its practical effects and its symbolism, th at any time since Abner Doubleday devised the game full 100 years ago.

It is not baseball, in its technical aspects, its pennant races, its arguments over the prowess of respective clubs, that grips our thought now. Rather it is baseball's sportsmanship, baseball's influence, baseball's happy, free and wholesome characteristics which we herein recognize and hail.

There are basic elements of democracy in baseball. Team play transcends, but team play in turn rests upon individual performance, conduct and ability. The good of the team, the ultimate victory, comes first; but individual initiative aggressiveness and worth have their reward in triumphs achieved and, in the case of the professional sport stipends received.

Baseball is played according to the rules. Neutrality is not violated. Small nations are not overrun. Opposing teams a not bombed or poison-gassed in contravention of international law. Where decisios .ust be made, where rules must be interpreted, where teams must be retired, the umpire functions. Umpires, it is true, are occasionally manhandl-; ed but back of the umpire stand a higher official of the league and the law itself to guarantee pro tection against physical violence. Baseball is umpired, and baseball is policed.

Raucous demonstrations, which rarely get out of hand, .re for that matter part of the game in its democratizing aspects and effect Where is to be found a more democratic crowd than that which packs a grandstand or edges a sideline, rooting for its favorite, jawing with the umpire, jostling, commingling, engaging in repartee which breaks down all class lines and economic, social and financial distinctions?

A stimulating picture of free, happy, fortunate, peaceful America is baseball as it gets under way. Where else in the whole wide world could so many thousands gather without fear of molestation, without worry of bombers or sub-marines or casualty lists in process of preparation? Mother's sons of Europe have donned their uniforms, their gas-masks, their bayonets and go out to combat with machine guns and aircraft. Mother's sons of America don sweat shirts and flannels, mitts and gloves and go out to meet with bat and ball their rivals and their enemies on the sandlot and the greensward to the accompaniment of cheers and of good-natured ribbing instead of the crash of bombs, the whine of bullets and groans of the maimed and dying.

Baseball is America; and thank God that it is.

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Calling Long Drivers!

Siege Guns of American golf will have a holiday when they come to the thirteenth and sixteenth holes of the Canterbury C. C. during the National Open Championship, June 6 - 8.

The sixteenth is 620 yards—one of the longest holes ever found in a national open championship—and against prevailing winds plays many more yards. For all but the most terrific hitters, who can put their drives up a hill, the second shot will be blind and hazardous. The thirteenth, played from a new tee, will stretch 550 yard and is so constructed that few, if any, will reach the green in two.

For lovers of long hitting, it is suggested that vantage points along the thirteenth and sixteenth fairways be found early. The championship may be won or lost on those back brec'ers.

Early practicers over Canterbury stamp the fifteenth hole as one of the trickiest. Merely as to length is is an average two shotter, but again the prevailing wind is head on and a road behind the green will be a strong deterent against overbold second shots.

Jimmy Demaret, the Houston favorite, dropped in on Canterbury a few days since and turned the course in 70—two under par—although obliged to play some temporary greens. James found the windy layout to his liking but intends giving it his full attention for a week or ten days in advance of the championship, so it cannot produce any unexpected difficulties once the real shotting starts.—FRANCIS J. POWERS.

Comes From Far Behind For Victory

Defeats Mrs. Page In Thriller

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Valiant Mrs. Frank Goldthwaite substituted a great heart for a lagging golf game in the darkest spots of a dramatic golf match Saturday, coming back on the fading holes to defeat Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page, 2 and 1, for the Women's Southern title.

The hometown idol, champion of Texas and winner of the Southern as a budding youngster seven years ago, courted trouble for twenty-six holes and then quickly swept away the Chapel Hill, N. C., veteran with a grooved game that reappeared as suddenly as it left her in the morning round.

Three down and eleven to play, staying that close to Mrs. Page's velvety game only through some miraculous recovery shots that came hole after hole, the attractive young mother of two infant daughters started firing at the pins.

Mrs. Page, Falters

Just as suddenly did Mrs. Page's game start folding. On the twenty-seventh she pulled her tee shot into the rough and floundered through the weeds and trees on three more shots before finally reaching the green. Mrs. Goldthwaite picked up the hole with a coasting six.

Into the last nine they went, Mrs. Page still leading by two holes and twelve feet from the hole with her second iron. Mrs. Goldthwaite, eight feet short of the green, studied long the chip into the rolling green. She chipped it perfectly, watched it roll fifty feet and into the hole for a birdie three.

Mrs. Goldthwaite won a Southern golf title with that shot. It set her game on fire and she squared the match at the thirtieth green.

Mrs. Page's tee shot on the thirtieth hole settled under a clump of trees and in attempting to hook around the trouble and on the green, she looped an iron second out of bounds. She tried again; hit the tree on the second shot. Finally on in four, she three-putted for a seven to lose and put the Fort Worth woman on even terms for the first time in the match.

Mrs. Goldthwaite Goes Up

On the next hole, the thirty-first, Mrs. Page tossed away another with a poorly played tee shot to the rough behind trees, a fair second and an eventual three-putt. It put Mrs. Goldthwaite one up—the margin she had struggled for throughout the day.

The long thirty-second was halved in bogie sixes by the tired pair but Mrs. Goldthwaite made it two up and three to play by parring the thirty-third while Mrs. Page was trapped short of the green and too far past the hole on her recovery blast.

One more, on the thirty-fourth, Mrs. Goldthwaite called on her courage after missing a third shot, laying her fourth dead to the pin from fifty yards to gain a halve. On the final hole the Texan coolly stepped up to the four-footer that meant the title and buried it with a firm stroke.

Throughout the morning round, Mrs. Goldthwaite, usually almost monotonously steady, played a quivering game that left her in trouble time and again.

A Weird Par

Remarkable recoveries from traps and the rough kept her abreast of Mrs. Page through the ninth. She stunned the gallery of 1,500 on the eleventh hole with a weird par four that seemingly didn't phase stolid Mrs. Page.

Over in the rough off the tee, she took a half swing, struck a tree with her club and barely made the fairway. From 75 yards she sent an eight iron nestling ten feet below the hole and dropped it for a halve. Once more her magic brought her out of trouble on the thirteenth and fifteenth holes—but Mrs. Page threw in rally checking birdie putts on both those holes to nullify positively brilliant recoveries from traps that left Mrs. Goldthwaite with cinch par putts.

On the eighteenth Mrs. Page assumed her lunch-time lead of one hole with her finest bit of shotmaking of the morning round. Behind a trap off the tee on the 44-yard hole, she lifted a 200-yard brassie down the fairway, pitched to within ten feet of the hole from 75 yards out and dropped the putt for her third birdie in six holes.

Mrs. Page was 41-36—77 for the morning round; Mrs. Goldthwaite 41-37—78.

Records Tumble In Southern AAU Meet

BATON ROUGE, La. —(AP)— A high wind failed to slow up fast-stepping Charlie Belcher, former Georgia Tech sprinter as the National A. A. U. indoor 600-yard champion ran the fastest quarter mile of the year, a record-breaker, in the 33rd annual Southern A. A. U. Senior Day track and field games.

Belcher finished strongly in 46.7, smashing the old record by 1.6 seconds.

Louisiana State University's team, competing on its own field, ran off with the championship trophy piling up 75 points. Southwestern of LaFayette was second team, with 25.

The only other record breaking was produced by Rice's blond star, Fred Wolcott. The National collegiate high and low hurdles champion lowered the high hurdle record from 14.9 to 14.4 , equaled the mark of 24.1 in the low sticks despite the wind.

'Now There's A Real Fishing Rodeo Trophy'

When Dr. Richard L. Sutton of Kansas City, Mo., (above), world famous deep sea fisherman and big game hunter, was shown the Southland Life Insurance Company's marlin trophy, awarded each year in the Rio Grande Valley Fishing Rodeo held at Port Isabel, he wasted little time in stating that it was the finest he had ever seen. He consented to be "caught" by the photographer as he looked the trophy over. Despite the fact that he might not compete for the award this year, he let it be known that he intended to be present during the fishing event just to get a look at the lucky fisherman who will carry the huge trophy home. (Photo by Johnny Martin.)

Wood Continues To Stay 'Hot' In Met Tourney

Breaks Records For 36 Holes

NEW YORK— (AP) —Craig Wood, the blonde slugger from Mamaroneck, N. Y., shattered all listed records for 36 holes in a "major" golf tournament Saturday when he fired a second round of 66, four under par for the Forest Hill Field Club, on top of his amazing opening round of 64 Friday, to hold his lead in the Metropolitan Open championship.

His 36-hole total of 130 was the lowest ever recorded in a tournament of National or sectional importance over a full-length course. Byron Nelson, Natonal Open champion, scored a brace of 65's in the Phoenix Open last winter, but the nearest approach to Wood's mark in a major tournament was the 132 scored by Henry Cotton in the 1934 British Open.

On the heels of Wood, but five strokes behind Saturday, was Ben Hogan, the youthful Texan who plays out of White Plains, N. Y. Hogan was the only other player to break par on the second round, scrapping under the wire with a 69 for a halfway total of 135.

Ray Billows, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., amateur ace, held a lease on third place as the field was paired up for the final 36 holes Sunday. After equalling Hogan's opening round 66, Billows slipped on the back nine Saturday to finish with 73 for a 139 total. Charles Yansick of Central Valley, N. Y., with 68-72—140 was the fourth of 86 starters to stay within limits of par for two rounds.

Girls Softball

League Swings Into Action Tuesday

McLLEN — The Valley Girls Softball League swings into full schedule this week with Raymondville invading La Feria, Edcouch-Elsa going to Mercedes and McAllen going to Edinburg Tuesday night with the prospects of still another game to be added for Tuesday. In case the Sebastian girls complete the organization of their team by that time they will tackle the San Perlita girls at Raymondville Tuesday night.

The La Feria Boosters, newly uniformed and rearing to a..nge their defeat by McAllen, will attempt to turn the table when they tackle the Masterettes at McAllen Wednesday night. Thursday night, the San Perlita girls will journey to Edcouch-Elsa and Mercedes will go to Raymondville.

Original plans called for only a six club league but with San Perlita and Sebastian both sporting good girl teams and looking for new worlds to conquer they have decided to hop into the league swim and try their luck.

Dr. Sutton, Noted Angler, Tries Port Isabel Waters

By E. C. (Doc) OSBORN

PORT ISABEL—"I know newspapermen and they can write a better story when they don't know anything about the subject than when they know all the facts."

With those words Dr. Richard L. Sutton, of Kansas City, Mo., who could lay claim to being the world's foremost salt water fisherman but who prefers to be known as a fellow who just "goes fishin'" because his "family likes fish," chuckled and settled back in a chair in his tourist cottage here prepared for the worst.

Perhaps it would be well to first give a bit of information as to who Dr. Sutton really is. His titles might help some and they are: M.D., Sc. D., LL. D., F.R.S. (Edin.). He is Professor of Dermatology at the University of Kansas; Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society of Great Britain; Member of the French Geographical Society. In addition to all these honors which have been bestowed upon Dr. Sutton, he belongs to numerous national and state medical societies.

Despite all his titles, Dr. Sutton is a fisherman of the nth degree. He proved this when he went after tarpon here in the face of very unfavorable weather and water conditions. While he failed to bring to gaff a silver king, which he says is his favorite fish to catch, he saw plenty milling around and he called them "snooty" for not giving him a chance to stage a battle.

"You fellows just don't know what kind of a fishing spot you have here," Dr. Sutton stated. "Just imagine being able to step out your back door and catching tarpon, marlin and sailfish.

"And take the Valley as a whole. Where could you find another place like it. My only regret is that I haven't been down here before. But you can bet I will be back often to fish with you."

When the coming Rio Grande Valley Fishing Rodeo was brought to Dr. Sutton's attention and he looked over the big marlin trophy donated by the Southland Life Insurance Company, he said, "That is the best looking trophy I ever saw. I am not much of a competitive fisherman but I certainly intend to make every effort to be back during the rodeo whether I fish or not."

Marlin have occupied the attention of the noted angler and he has boated 267, the largest of which weighed 667 pounds. In February of this year he made one of his numerous trips to New Zealand and had excellent luck. In his opinion, the waters of Mayor Island near Tauranga, New Zealand, offer the finest fishing to be found anywhere with the Texas coast ranking second. As evidence of the New Zealand fishing, Dr. Sutton boated 25 marlin and to demonstrate his ability as a fisherman, he lost but two of the 27 hooked.

In addition to his reputation as a deep sea fisherman, Dr. Sutton is a big game hunter and has made numerous trips to Africa, Alaska and other hunting paradises. He is already set for another trip to Alaska this fall. Among the books he has written on his hunting expeditions are, "An Africa Safari," "The Long Trek," "Tiger Trails in Southern Asia," and "An African Holiday."

A daughter, Mrs. Lewis H. Moore, lives in McAllen, where Dr. Sutton has spent several days recently, and a brother, Dr. W. P. Sutton, is a Port Isabel resident. These facts are added incentive for him to visit the Valley, Dr. Sutton stated, but he confessed that he intended to combine the family visiting with more tries at the tarpon that evaded his hook here.

Didn't I tell you I knew newspapermen," Dr. Sutton said as the interview ended.

Watson Will Fight Garcia In McAllen

McALLEN—Gene Watson of San Francisco is matched against Carlos Garcia of Monterrey in the 10-round main event boxing bout scheduled for the McAllen Sports arena Friday night.

Watson, still young and spry although he's been in the boxing game for nearly 20 years, won a TKO over Bobbie O'Hara in the second round last week.

Adan Pepe of Mission and Enrique Sada are matched for the eight-round semi-final.

Flash Thomas of McAllen and Tony Ayala of McAllen are carded for a preliminary, with Henry Wright of McAllen and the Ebony Flash of Weslaco matched in the other opener.

TROJANS WIN TITLE

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—The University of Southern California's mighty Trojans captured their fifth consecutive track and field championship of the Pacific Coast Conference Saturday.

The Warriors of USC turned back the challenge of Stanford's strongest team in many a year and edged out a narrow two-point margin of victory.

Houston To Stage State Net Tourney

HOUSTON—(AP)—Houston's first state tennis championship tournament in 12 years will open June 3 on the Golfcrest Country Club's battery of 16 new clay courts.

Officials said Saturday they were making efforts to attract top players of several states to compete for the title now held by Bobby Curtis of Rice Institute, former three-time state interscholastic ruler.

Curtis will not be the favorite in this year's tourney, for Frank Guernsey, National intercollegiate champion among other better known players, will be entered.

There is a possibility that Wilmer Allison, former Davis Cup player, may go after the singles crown. Allison, who lives in Austin, plays little competitive tennis these days, but may be induced to enter.

WHITEHEAD TO TOLEDO

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—Pitcher Johnny Whitehead, whom the Browns obtained from the Chicago White Sox last year, was released on option Saturday to Toledo of the American Association. He joined the White Sox from Dallas in 1936.

Michigan Walks Off With Title In Big 10 Meet

Piles Up Total Of 51 Points

EVANSTON, Ill. —(AP)— Michigan, scoring in 12 or 15 events with a powerful exhibition of team strength, won its fourth straight Big Ten outdoor track championship Saturday with a total of 51 points.

Indiana, greatly handicapped by an injury to little Roy Cochran, challenged the Wolverines midway of the meet, but could not sustain their bid in the late events, finishing second with 35 1-2 points.

Cochran was withdrawn from the 440 yard dash Friday so he would be ready to compete in four events, Saturday, but he pulled a muscle in the 100 yard dash and was forced to retire from the meet. He scored only one point a fifth place in the century dash, not only depriving Indiana of points in other events but preventing him from defending his individual title in the 220 yard low hurdles.

Heavy Softball Card At McAllen

McALLEN—Seven softball contests are in store for local fans at the McAllen Softball Diamond during the coming week.

Monday night, the Engelman Gardens Won-Up club meets the Whalen team in a county league contest.

Tuesday, the Lions and the Square Deal 10 clash at 8 p. m. and Western Auto and Thompson's follow in two city league games.

The Masterettes, girls' squad, has a game scheduled Wednesday night and again Thursday night when they meet the Coca Cola girls team from Brownsville. The McAllen Lions and the Weslaco Lions will also crooss bats Thursday night.

The McAllen All Stars will be hosts to the Won-Up group Friday night.

Games the past week saw McAllen drop Sharyland 8 to 5, Whalen's take McAllen Tuesday 7-4, Edinburg drop Engleman's 9-2 Tuesday, Engleman's take a 3-2 decision over Edinburg Thursday and McAllen bounce back to take Whalen's Friday 9-4.

RAIN HALTS QUALIFYING

INDIANAPOLIS — (AP) — Rain washed out qualification trials at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway Saturday, leaving only three more days in which drivers can earn their places in the starting lineup for the 500-mile race May 30.

Thirty-three cars can start the event, but only 18 have qualified. Rain and cold weather, described by track officials as "the worst in many years," have prevented pilots from even making many practice spins this week.

In order to satisfy a man give him what he thinks he wants.

Up-State Softball Teams Scheduled At Edinburg

EDINBURG—Valley softball fans are in store for a treat during the month of June. In addition to the scheduled games of the Hidalgo County Softball League, Manager Abe Bloomfield of the league leading Edinburg All Stars announced Saturday that plans were being made to bring at least four up-state softball teams to meet the Stars on the Edinburg diamond.

Bloomfield did not state which teams would make the trip to the Valley, but it was disclosed that negotiations were being made with the Tiffany Tile Co. of San Antonio, Southern Select Beermen of Houston, the Victoria All Star aggregation and the Freer Oilers of Freer.

Bloomfield and the teams' advisory board, consisting of Ira Haddock, Steve and Lou Piper, are working out plans to bring these teams to the Valley and still not conflict with the regular scheduled league tilts. The Stars at the present are at the head of the league, boasting a record of 11 wins and only two losses.

Last season, the Edinburg club engaged several up-state teams, playing Freer, York Oil Field Supply of Houston, Laredo, and Alice, on the local diamond. These games were judged to be some of the best played in the Valley and Bloomfield is anxious to bring stronger competition here for his boys. The Stars defeated Freer 1 to 0 in 13 innings and then took a thriller 3 to 2 from the same club after the game traveled 18 innings. They lost a 10 to 0 game to York but came back strong to gain a 5 to 2 decision over the same club the next night. In the nightcap, they lost a heartbreaker to the Oil Field Supply team when Dick Berry smashed out a long home run for the only talley of the game. The Stars smothered Laredo 13 to 2 and beat Alice 11 to 1.

With every man back this season, Bloomfield is mapping plans to go places with his stellar club. Plans are being made to take the team to several up-state tournaments.

Members of the team are Max Cavazos, Stanley Cowan, Bill Southwell, Mike McKinney, Melvin Hearne, Virgil Hodges, Mitchell Bloomfield, Jerry Stephens, Shin Young, Doug Pressley, Laymon Skinner, Put Williams, Alex Champion, Wilbur McClelland, Bill Snider, and Bloomfield.

Rodeo Scheduled In Arroyo Arena Next Week-End

Top-Notch Cowboys Are Entered

HARLINGEN — The third of a series of rodeos will be held in Harlingen at the Arroyo Rodeo Arena on Saturday night, June 1, at 8:30 p.m. and on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 pm.

The two previous shows were well attended and Valley rodeo fans agree they were fast shows with plenty of action. The two coming performances will feature plenty of riding on bucking horses, wild brahma bulls and wild Spanish mules. The other feature events will include bulldogging, wild cow milking, break-away and tie-down calf roping. All the stock to be used is in splendid condition and will give the cowboys a tussel in all events. A large number of the top Valley cowboys as well as up-state contestants have sent in their entrance fees, and are practising daily in order to be in the best of condition to contest for the prize money offered.

A cowboy parade will be held at 4 p.m. Saturday afternoon in downtown Harlingen. Anyone riding horseback in the parade will be admitted free to the rodeo Saturday night and are invited to ride in the Grand Entry. The promoters, Charlie Whitney and B. H. Jones, state that this show will not drag and all events will come off fast. They invite Valleyites to see a wild, rough rodeo that will start on time and last two and a half hours.

A big feature will be matched calf roping between Tommy Cameron of Brownsville and Ed Evans of Raymondville. These boys are well known in the Valley as calf ropers and the match will be a hot one as both can really rope and tie their calves.

Negro Ball Teams Play At San Benito

SAN BENITO — The Line-ups for the baseball game to be staged here Sunday afternoon between the Black Tigers of Alice and the Busy Bees of Harlingen and San Benito are as follows:

Tigers players: Lewis, first; Williams second, Cartwright third, James short, Brazzil, Walker and Liggins in the outfield, Johnson behind the bat, and Pleasant or Harnot in the box, with Hunt and Harris as substitutes.

Bees team: Everhardt, or Sims, first, Bedford or F. Carter second, Pointer third, Lasley or Davis at short, Johnson, McDani L. Carter and Rabb in the outfield, Holt or Hodke, catchers and Freeman and Grand, pitchers.

The game will start at 3:30 Sunday afternoon at the Kiwanis Ball Park in San Benito.

TROJANS 8; BOOMERS 1

KILGORE—(AP)—Scoring five runs in the fifth inning, Tyler's Trojans defeated Kilgore 8 to 2 in the series opener here Saturday night.

Tyler	100	050	020—8 11 1
Kilgore	001	000	000—1 7 4

Hyver and Steinbeck, Hoff; Meitzen, Helms, Weston and Cogswell.

Height Of Optimism

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — The height of optimism.

President Gerry Nugent, of the Phillies, disclosed Saturday he had received four reservations for world series tickets in event the Phils win the National League title.

"I thought it was a gag at first," Nugent said. "But we investigated found the requests were bonafide."

The Phils, who finished last a year ago, now top the second division.

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Two Out of Three Falls — One Hour Time Limit
SAMMY MANACKER vs. KARL DAVIS
SPECIAL TEAMBOUT
Two Out of Three Falls — One Hour Time Limit
SUPERMAN and SAMMY MANACKER Vs. KARL DAVIS and HANK METHENEY
General Admission - - - - 40¢
OTTO KUSS, Referee

Large Entry List Assured Kiwanis Tourney

150 'Stars' Expected To Seek Prizes

Big Barbecue Listed As Feature

HARLINGEN—At least 150 Kiwanian golfers from clubs in the Valley and Coastal Bend sections are expected to tee off next Thursday over the Harlingen Municipal Course, in the third annual Memorial Day event staged by the Harlingen Kiwanis Club.

Chairman Monty Montgomery announces he is certain a field of this size will be on hand for the event this year, and adds that he has made arrangements to have a heart to heart talk with the weatherman in order to insure continuance of the present perfect golf weather through the all-imporant tournament date.

Glenn Schuepbach and Harry H. Johnson, contact men for the local club's golf tourney committee, have been visiting clubs with regularity during recent weeks, and report enthusiasm is high among all clubs in the area. The pair estimated that every Kiwanis club in Division Four of the Texas-Oklahoma District would have at least one representative in the tournmaent.

Big Barbecue

Assurance that the big barbecue, 19th hole event to be staged for non-golfers and golfers alike at conclusion of play Thursday, will be a howling success is seen in the fact that Bill McElwain is expected to perform in the role of chief barbecuer. Numerous Kiwanians not expecting to play are expected to swell the grand total when first call for chow is sounded.

The tournament is showing steady growth in popularity, local club members pointed out here Saturday. In 1938, the first such tournament drew a field of 85 golfing Kiwanians, and the following year a total of 115 golfers of every rank crowded the Municipal Course. Kiwanians from northern part of the division such as Corpus Christi, Sinton, Beeville, Alice and Robstown attended the 1939 tourney to help swell the total, and still more clubmen from clubs in that area are expected to help establish still another record entry list this year.

The Pharr Kiwanians, winners last year of the team championship, have doubled their number of entries this year, sending 12 instead of six golfers. The McAllen club, determined to give the Pharr defenders a run for their money, have gathered a formidable group of club swingers together for the fray, and expect to send a total group of 18 or 20 golfers here Thursday.

Many Large Groups

Brownsville has sent word it expects to send a group practically matching the McAllen delegation in size, while San Benito has given notice it will try to have as many or more entries in the tournament than Harlingen, the host club. Every club in the Valley is sending a sizeable group of golfers, most of them larger than were sent by the respective clubs last year.

Divot diggers from upper end of the division are coming down in force, Schuepbach and Johnson stated, with the Corpus Christi club especially interested in trying to wrest the team championship from the Pharr club. Last year the Corpus golfers walked away with three of the most beautiful trophies offered.

Clyde Ray of the local club announced Saturday that trophies for this year's tournament have already been secured, and that probably there will be more trophies than last year because of the need for an extra flight or two. The dub golfers, he said, will be shooting for trophies just as attractive as those fought for by the better swingers.

It is expected that first golfers Thursday wil. tee off at about 11 a. m., the tournament committee announced.

Full Diamond Card Set At Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE — A full program of baseball and softball is in store for fans here Sunday.

The strong Humble Oilers of Ingleside will have the afternoon spotlight at Charro Park where they will take on the Edelstein's All Stars at 3:30 o'clock.

At night, a double-header is on tap at "36" diamond, with two leading softball teams from outside points tangling with Brownsville male and feminine all-star outfits.

The McAllen Missionites, star Hidalgo team, will take on an all-star aggregation of Brownsville girls. The Hidalgo team will take the place of the Galvan Pharmacy girls of Corpus Christi, who telephoned Saturday that they would be unable to come to Brownsville Sunday.

The Brownsville boys' team will play the league-leading Kirkley Drug company men's softball team which is leading the Corpus Christi league.

Line-up of the Brownsville masculine soft-ballers will include Hewlitt, ss; Lopez, s; M. Kostick, 1b; Jacobs, cf; Ben Armendariz, sc; Tony Armendariz, p; J. Strong, lf; W. King, rf; Guy Ennis, 2b.

The afternoon baseball game at Charro Park is expected to draw a big crowd as fans will see one of the best semi-pro nines of the state in action. The Oilers have been whipping everything in sight around San Antonio territory, and will be among the top teams when the season is over, if past performance is any indication.

Timo Cantu and Tito Torres have been putting the Edelstein's through their paces all week in preparation for the set-to with the powerful Oilers.

A Bit Of Valley Wildlife Activity

Rio Grande Valley waters and brush yielded the usual quota of fish and game the past week. At the upper left is a catch of king mackerel caught in the gulf, and in the lower left picture is shown a 120 pound alligator gar caught in the Arroyo Colorado. Tim Casanova and Teno Villaneuva are shown at the right holding a big "cat" shot a mile north of Combes.

Major League Box Scores

REDS 7-1; CARDS 2-5

CINCINNATI—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals Saturday won their first 1940 game from the Cincinnati Reds, taking the night cap of a doubleheader, 5 to 1, at Gene Thompson's expense. Undefeated Bucky Walters held the Cards to four hits to give the Reds the opener, 7 to 2, and his seventh straight victory.

(First Game)

St. Louis	AB	R	H	Cincinnati	AB	R	H
Lake 3b	3	0	0	Werber 3b	3	1	1
J. Martin x	1	0	0	Frey 2b	3	0	0
Shoun p	0	0	0	Goodman rf	3	1	0
S. Martin 3b	4	0	0	M'C'mick 1b	4	2	2
Slaughter rf	3	0	0	Lombardi c	3	1	1
Medwick lf	4	0	0	Rizzo lf	4	0	2
Mize 1b	4	0	0	Craft cf	3	1	1
Padgett c	3	0	0	Myers ss	3	0	0
White xx	0	0	0	Walters p	4	1	1
Owen c	1	0	0				
T. Moore cf	4	1	1				
Orengo ss	3	1	3				
Warneke p	0	0	0				
Bowman p	0	0	0				
Hopp xxx	0	0	0				
J. Russell p	0	0	0				
Gutteridge 3b	1	0	0				
Totals	31	2	4	Totals	30	7	8

x—Batted for Lake in 7th.
xx—Ran for Padgett in 7th.
xxx—Batted for Bowman in 5th.

St. Louis	000	020	000	—2
Cincinnati	010	200	31x	—7

Errors: Myers, Walters. Runs batted in: Lake, Orengo, McCormick, Lombardi, Rizzo, Myers, Walters. Two base hits: Orengo 2, Werber, Craft. Home run: McCormick. Sacrifices: Warneke, Craft. Myers. Left on bases: St. Louis 5; Cincinnati 5. Base on balls: Warneke 2, Shoun 2, Walters 2. Struck out: by Warneke 2, Walters 4. Hits: off Warneke 4 in 3 (none out 4th); Bowman none in 1; Russell none in 2; Shoun 4 in 2. Wild pitch: Shoun. Losing pitcher: Warneke. Umpires: Campbell, Ballanfant and Pinelli. Time: 1:55.

(Second Game)

St. Louis	AB	R	H	Cincinnati	AB	R	H
Lake 2b	5	1	3	Werber 3b	4	0	0
S. Martin 3b	4	1	1	Frey 2b	4	0	1
Slaughter rf	5	1	1	Goodman rf	4	1	2
Medwick lf	4	1	1	M'C'mick 1b	2	0	0
Mize 1b	3	0	0	H'shb'ger c	4	0	2
T. Moore cf	4	0	0	Rizzo lf	3	0	0
Orengo ss	4	0	1	Craft cf	4	0	0
Owen c	4	1	1	Myers ss	4	0	0
McGee p	4	0	1	Thompson p	2	0	1
				Shoffner p	1	0	0
Totals	37	5	9	Totals	33	1	6

St. Louis	300	001	001	—5
Cincinnati	100	000	000	—1

Errors: McGee, Hershberger. Runs batted in: Lake, Slaughter 3, Orengo, Hershberger. Two base hits: Lake, S. Martin, Medwick, Owen, McGee. Home run: Slaughter. Stolen bases: Lake, Goodman. Left on bases: St. Louis 7; Cincinnati 7. Base on balls: McGee 2, Thompson 2. Struck out: by McGee 3; Thompson 2, Shoffner 1. Hits: off Thompson 7 in 6 1-3; Shoffner 2 in 2 2-3. Losing pitcher: Thompson. Umpires: Ballanfant, Pinelli and Campbell. Time: 1:58.

PIRATES 12; CUBS 7

PITTSBURGH—(AP)— Sparked by Arky Vaughan's three-run homer in the first inning, the Pittsburgh Pirates Saturday ended a five-game losing streak by pounding four Chicago Cub pitchers to win 12 to 7. Hank Leiber homered for the Cubs with two on in the seventh for his fifth circuit blow of the season.

Chicago	AB	R	H	Pittsburgh	AB	R	H
Rogell 3b-2b	4	0	0	Gustine 2b	5	1	2
Herman 2b	3	0	1	Handley 3b	5	2	2
Hack 3b	2	2	2	Vaughan ss	4	4	2
Gleeson cf	4	2	2	Elliott rf-cf	5	2	3
Leiber rf	3	2	1	V Robays lf	5	1	2
Nicholson lf	4	1	2	Fletcher 1b	3	2	1
Russell 1b	5	0	2	DiMaggio cf	2	0	1
Todd c	3	0	0	P Waner rf	2	0	0
Collins c	2	0	1	Davis c	3	0	0
Mattick ss	4	0	1	Bowman p	3	0	1
Galan xx	1	0	0				
French p	0	0	0				
Raffensbrgr p	1	0	0				
Dallesandro x	1	0	0				
Page p	0	0	0				
Mooty p	2	0	0				
Totals	39	7	12	Totals	37	12	14

x—Batted for Raffensberger in 8th.
xx—Batted for Mattick in 9th.

Chicago	000	100	303	—7
Pittsburgh	300	125	10x	—12

Errors: Vaughan, Mooty, Gustine, Nicholson. Runs batted in: Vaughan 3, Russell 2, Gustine, P. Waner, Bowman 2, Van Robays 2, Fletcher, Leiber 3, Elliott, Nicholson, Collins. Two base hits: Herman, Mattick, Handley, Gleeson. Three base hits: Vaughan. Home runs: Vaughan, Leiber. Sacrifices: Davis. Double plays: Herman, Mattick and Russell. Left on bases: Chicago 10; Pittsburgh 8. Base on balls: Bowman 5; Raffensberger 2, Page 3, Mooty 1. Struck out: Bowman 3, Raffensberger 6. Hits: off French 4 in 1-3; Raffensberger 3 in 3 2-3, Page 6 in 1, Mooty 1 in 2. Balk: Raffensberger. Losing pitcher: French. Umpires: Goetz, Reardon and Klem. Time: 2:31.

PACED DODGERS

Cookie Lavagetto was pacemaking slugger for the Brooklyn Dodgers during their sensational April winning streak. He played in every game, batted 11 runs across the plate and sported a .353 batting average.

TIGERS 10; WHITE SOX 4

CHICAGO—(AP)—The Detroit Tigers whipped the Chicago White Sox, 10 to 4, with 17 hits Saturday in a contest that was called on account of rain after one out in the first of the ninth inning.

Detroit	AB	R	H	Chicago	AB	R	H
Bartell ss	4	1	1	Kennedy 3b	5	0	1
McCosky cf	4	1	0	Kuhel 1b	4	1	3
Gehringer 3b	5	3	3	Kreevich cf	3	1	1
Greenberg lf	4	1	2	Wright rf	4	0	2
York 1b	5	1	1	Appling ss	3	0	0
Campbell rf	5	2	5	Rosenthal lf	3	0	0
Higgins 3b	5	1	2	McNair 2b	4	0	1
Tebbetts c	4	0	3	Tresh c	3	1	1
Trout p	3	0	0	Knott p	0	1	0
Benton p	1	0	0	Solters z	1	0	0
				Appleton p	1	0	1
				Brown p	1	0	0
Totals	40	10	17	Totals	32	4	10

z—Batted for Knott in 4th.

Detroit	010	220	41	—10
Chicago	001	021	00	—4

Errors: Wright, McNair, Kuhel, Appling. Runs batted in: Tebbetts 2, York 2, Gehringer, Campbell 2, Higgins, Kreevich 3, Kuhel. Two base hits: McNair, Wright, Campbell. Home runs: York, Kreevich. Stolen bases: Gehringer, Tebbetts. Double play: Kennedy, McNair and Kuhel. Left on bases: Detroit 9; Chicago 9. Base on balls: Trout 4, Benton 1, Appleton 2, Brown 1. Struck out by Trout 3, Benton 2, Knott 1, Brown 1. Hits: off Trout 10 in 5 2-3; eBnton none in 2 1-3; Knott 7 in 4; Appleton 5 in 2 1-3; Brown 5 in 1 2-3. Wild pitch: Appleton. Winning pitcher: Trout. Losing pitcher: Knott. Umpires: Moriarty, Hubbard and Rue. Time: 2:12.

SENS 4; A'S 2

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Dutch Leonard, yielding but seven hits, pitched the Washington Senators to a 4 to 2 victory Saturday over the Philadelphia Athletics. It was the fourth straight victory for the Washington knuckle-baller.

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	Washing.	AB	R	H
Miles lf	4	0	1	Case rf	4	1	1
Moses rf	4	1	2	Lewis 3b	4	1	1
McCoy 2b	4	0	1	Welaj cf	4	1	1
Johnson cf	4	1	1	Walker lf	4	1	2
Siebert 1b	4	0	1	Bonura 1b	4	0	2
Hayes c	4	0	0	Travis ss	3	0	0
Rubeling 3b	3	0	0	Bl'dwrth 2b	3	0	1
Lillard ss	3	0	0	Ferrell c	3	0	0
Dean p	3	0	1	Leonard p	3	0	1
Totals	33	2	7	Totals	32	4	9

Philadelphia	000	200	000	—2
Washington	200	101	00x	—4

Errors: McCoy, Johnson. Runs batted in: Welaj, Bonura 2, Moses, Siebert, Travis. Two base hits: Welaj. Three base hits: Johnson. Home run: Moses. Double plays: Lewis and Bonura; McCoy, Lillard and Siebert. Left on bases: Philadelphia 4; Washington 4. Struck out: by Dean 3; Leonard 3. Wild pitch: Leonard. Passed ball: Ferrell.

Garner Is Inventor Of 'Texas Leaguer'

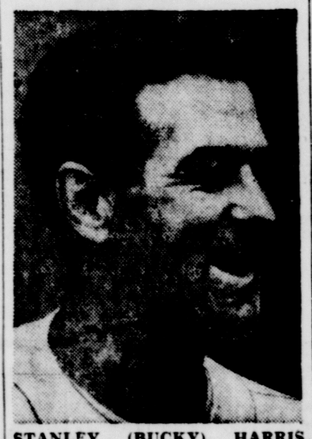
WASHINGTON —(AP)— Take it from Vice-President Jack Garner, a prominent Texan was the inventor of the Texas leaguer in baseball — and his name was Jack Garner.

Garner, talking with Joe McCarthy, manager of the New York Yankees, explained in a recent meeting of the two famous figures.

"When I was a young fellow I loved to play ball but I wasn't much of a hitter at first. I couldn't drive the ball very far and I wasn't fast enough to beat out infield hits. So I figured the best thing to do was just tap the ball over the infield.

"I did that and it was very successful. All the young fellows around our town started doing it and finally it spread over the state and somebody started calling that kind of hit a Texas leaguer."

Sport Headliners



STANLEY (BUCKY) HARRIS, Washington pilot, was the first major league baseball manager to get the old heave-ho this season. He raised such a ruckus over a hit by Joe Gordon of the Yanks April 19 that Umpire Rue thumbed him out of the park. Bucky yelled foul but Rue yelled louder. 'Twas a homer, said he.

GERALD COTE wears the victor's laurel wreath and smiles happily after winning the 26-mile Boston marathon in record time. Cote says he is through with marathons because he's a Canadian and will soon be in the Royal Air service.

NO HOME TOWN FANS?

DENVER—(AP)—Last year's Colorado high school basketball tournament, held annually in Denver, showed a substantial loss at the boxoffice, although a Denver team won the championship. This year the tourney netted $378 — and both Denver entrants were eliminated in the first round.

COTTON BELT STARS

When it's Claude Passeau vs. Whit Wyatt in a Cubs-Dodgers duel, the cotton belt splits wide open in its rooting. Both acres are big-planters down home, the Cub curver at Lucedale, Miss., and the Brooklyn buzzer at Buchanan, Ga.

Some men's honesty is due to the inexpensiveness thereof.

THE SCOREBOARD

TEXAS LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Houston	32	11	.750
San Antonio	23	19	.548
Beaumont	22	22	.500
Tulsa	20	22	.476
Oklahoma City	20	23	.465
Dallas	18	24	.429
Shreveport	18	24	.429
Fort Worth	17	26	.395

Results Saturday
Beaumont 8; Tulsa 0
Shreveport 5; Dallas 2
Oklahoma City 11; Houston 10
Fort Worth 5; San Antonio 5

Games Today
Shreveport at Dallas (2) (D)
San Antonio at Fort Worth (2) (D)
Houston at Oklahoma City (2) (D)
Beaumont at Tulsa (2) Twilight.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Boston	19	8	.704
Cleveland	19	10	.655
Detroit	16	14	.533
Washington	15	16	.484
St. Louis	12	16	.429
Chicago	13	18	.419
Philadelphia	12	17	.414
New York	11	17	.393

Results Saturday
Detroit 10; Chicago 4
Washington 4; Philadelphia 2
New York at Boston, rain
Cleveland at St. Louis, rain and cold.

Games Today
Cleveland at St. Louis (2)
Philadelphia at Washington
Detroit at Chicago
New York at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	18	8	.692
Cincinnati	19	9	.679
New York	15	12	.556
Chicago	17	14	.548
Philadelphia	11	13	.458
St. Louis	11	18	.379
Boston	8	16	.333
Pittsburgh	7	18	.280

Results Saturday
Cincinnati 7-1; St. Louis 2-5
Pittsburgh 12; Chicago 7
Brooklyn at Philadelphia, wet grounds
Boston at New York, rain.

Games Today
Brooklyn at Philadelphia
Boston at New York
Chicago at Pittsburgh
St. Louis at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Kansas City	24	7	.774
Minneapolis	19	10	.655
Indianapolis	16	14	.533
Milwaukee	13	15	.464
Louisville	14	17	.452
Columbus	12	15	.444
Toledo	9	18	.333
St. Paul	10	21	.323

Results Saturday
Columbus 5; Indianapolis 2
Louisville 6; Toledo 4
Minneapolis 6; Milwaukee 0
Kansas City 5; St. Paul 1.

Games Today
Indianapolis at Columbus
Milwaukee at Minneapolis
Kansas City at St. Paul
Louisville at Toledo.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Nashville	23	10	.697
Memphis	20	13	.606
Atlanta	22	17	.564
Knoxville	16	19	.457
Little Rock	15	20	.429
Birmingham	15	20	.429
Chattanooga	14	20	.412
New Orleans	15	24	.385

Results Saturday
Knoxville 7; Little Rock 5
New Orleans 8; Atlanta 7
Nashville 3; Memphis 1
Chattanooga-Birmingham, wet grounds.

Games Today
Chattanooga at Birmingham
Knoxville at Little Rock
Nashville at Memphis.
Atlanta at New Orleans.

EVANGELINE LEAGUE
New Iberia 4; Opelousas 2
Alexandria 3; Lake Charles 0
Rayne 1; Port Arthur 6
Houma 9; Lafayette 10.

Probable Pitchers

NEW YORK—(AP)—Probable pitchers in the major leagues Sunday: (won-lost records in parenthesis):

American League

New York at Boston—Pearson (3-2) vs Dickman (4-2).

Philadelphia at Washington—Caster (1-5) vs Hudlin (2-1).

Detroit at Chicago—Rowe (2-0) vs Lyons (2-2).

Cleveland at St. Louis (2)—Allen (2-2) and Harder (1-1) vs Bildilli (1-2) and Mills (0-1).

National League

Chicago at Pittsburgh—Lee (4-3) vs Brown (3-2).

Boston at New York—Sullivan (1-4) vs Lohrman (2-0).

Brooklyn at Philadelphia—Hamlin (2-2) vs Higbe (3-3).

St. Louis at Cincinnati—Cooper (0-1) vs Derringer (3-4).

TEXAS LEAGUE

EXPORTERS 8; OILERS 0

BEAUMONT —(AP)— Clay Smith pitched a four-hit shutout and the Exporters made a clean sweep of the Tulsa series, winning the final game Saturday afternoon, 8 to 0.

Tulsa	AB	R	H	Beaumont	AB	R	H
Lowery 3b	3	0	0	Korte 2b	5	0	2
Johnson 2b	4	0	2	Perry ss	4	0	0
Waitkus 1b	4	0	1	Harris rf	5	1	1
Schino cf	3	0	0	Franklin 3b	5	2	2
Allen rf	4	0	0	Secory lf	3	2	1
Caldwell lf	3	0	1	Patrick rf	5	1	2
Merullo ss	3	0	0	Parsons c	4	2	3
Steiner c	4	0	0	Sturdiv't 1b	4	0	2
Tubb p	2	0	0	Smith p	3	0	0
x Donaldson	1	0	0				
Barkelew p	0	0	0				
Totals	31	0	4	Totals	38	8	13

x—Batted for Tubb in 8th.

Tulsa	000	000	000	—0
Beaumont	001	101	32x	—8

Runs batted in, Korte 2, Secory 2, Patrick, Sturdivant 2, Smith; Earned runs: eBaumont 7. Bases on balls: off Tubb 4, Smith 3; Struck out: by Tubb 6, Smith 4 .Pitchers' statistics: 11 hits 6 runs off Tubb in 7 innings, 2 hits 2 runs off Barkelew in 1 inning. Losing pitcher: Tubb. Left on bases: Tulsa 8, Beaumont 10. Home run: Secory. Two base hit: Johnson. Stolen base: Parsons. Hit by pitched ball: by Smith (Lowery). Passed ball: Parsons. Double play: Korte to Perry to Sturdivant. Errors: Lowery 2, Merullo, Korte 2. Umpires: Fowler and Boggess. Time of game: 1:41.

INDIANS 11; BUFFS 10

HOUSTON—(AP)— Houston's five-game winning streak ended Saturday night as Oklahoma City salvaged the final game of the series, 11 to 10, in a wild exhibition that saw a total of 34 base knocks ring to all corners of Buff Stadium.

The Indians at one time enjoyed an 11 to 4 lead over the Herd but before Umpire Tongate called out the last man on strikes, the Buffs were within one run of the lead, had the typing rally on second and the winning marker on first.

Okla. City	AB	R	H	Houston	AB	R	H
Short cf	4	3	2	Mrtaugh 3b	4	3	1
Kolloway 2b	5	3	3	Antonelli 2b	6	1	3
Yount rf	4	1	3	Winsett lf	5	1	2
Corbett 1b	6	1	3	Cullop rf	4	2	2
Jergensen lf	5	1	1	Wyrostek cf	4	1	2
McDougal c	5	0	2	Harshall c	3	0	0
Cieslak 3b	5	1	1	Narron c	3	1	2
Howell ss	5	0	1	Angle 1b	5	1	2
Prince p	2	1	1	Cross ss	5	0	2
McLendon p	1	0	0	Wilks p	0	0	0
				Kempe p	4	0	0
				Warchol p	0	0	0
				Vezilich x	1	0	0
				Pollet xx	0	0	0
Totals	43	11	17	Totals	44	10	16

x—Hit for Kemple in 8th.
xx—Ran for Narron in 9th.

Oklahoma City	130	022	030	—11
Houston	010	102	042	—10

Errors: Howell, Winsett 2, Angle, Cross. Runs batted in: Kolloway, Yount 3, Cross 2, Winsett 2, Jergensen 3, Corbett 2, Wyrostek 2, Narron 3, Angle. Two base hits: Cieslak, Kolloway, Cross. Three base hits: Winsett. Home run: Jergensen. Sacrifices: Yount, Kolloway. Bases on balls: Wilks 1, Kempe 1, Prince 6, Warchol 1, McLendon 2. Hit by pitcher: Kempe (McLendon), Struck out: Prince 4, Warchol 2, Kempe 2, McLendon 2. Innings pitched: by Wilks 1 2-3 with 5 hits, 4 runs; Prince 5 1-3 with 9 hits, 4 runs; Kempe 6 1-3 with 12 hits, 7 runs. Winning pitcher: Prince. Losing pitcher: Wilks. Wild pitch: Prince. Left on bases: Oklahoma City 11, Houston 15. Umpires: Tongate and Palmer. Time: 2:26.

All-Time Big-Time Big-Man Ball Team

CLEVELAND—(AP)—How about an all-time, all big-man baseball team?

Down through the years baseball has had many huge fellows and one sports writer dug into his memory and came up with this squad:

1st base: Long George Kelley.

2nd base: Larry Lajoie; Rogers Hornsby and Ray Mack.

3rd base: Bill Bradley; Harry Steinfeldt.

Shortstop: Honus Wagner, George McBride.

Outfielders: Smead Jolley, Ike Boone, Baby Doll Jacobson, Jim Thorpe, Bob Meusel and Dan Brouthers.

Pitchers: Garland Buckeye, Walter Brown, Jeff Tesreau, Fred Toney, Phil Douglas, Cy Falkenberg, John Gee and Mike Naymick.

Owner—Lou Comiskey.

Manager: Wilbur Robinson.

John Gee, the rookie Pittsburgh pitcher, sands 6 feet 9 while Naymick of Cleveland is 6 foot 8. Both are youngsters and may grow taller.

CATS 5; MISSIONS 5

SAN ANTONIO —(AP)— The San Antonio Missions and Fort Worth Cats were all square at the end of nine innings here Saturday night at Tech Field, 5 to 5, and had to call it quits in order to allow both both clubs to catch a train to Fort Worth, where they will play a Sunday afternoon double-header.

Fort Worth	AB	R	H	S. Antonio	AB	R	H
Chatham ss	2	1	0	Hausman 2b	4	0	1
McDowell 2b	5	1	2	Stein 3b	4	0	1
Cazen lf	5	1	2	Kraus cf	5	1	0
Stoneham rf	5	0	2	Bradsher rf	5	3	3
Oana cf	5	1	2	Harshany c	2	1	3
Abreu 3b	2	1	2	Stephens ss	3	0	0
Stebbins 1b	4	0	0	Bell lf	3	0	0
Linton c	4	0	1	Stevens 1b	4	0	0
Horton p	2	0	0	Gibson p	2	0	0
Moseley p	1	0	0	Burek p	2	0	0
x Jeffries	1	0	0	Muncrief p	0	0	0
Starr p	0	0	0				
Totals	37	5	11	Totals	35	5	8

x—Batted for Horton in 6th.

Fort Worth	000	004	100	—5
San Antonio	022	000	100	—5

Errors: Cazen, Oana, Linton, Stebbins. Runs batted in: Harshany, Cazen 2, Linton 2, Oana, Stephens 2, Stevens. Two base hits: Abreu 2, Harshany, Cazen. Sacrifice hit: Stephens. Stolen bases: Hausmann, Harshany, Steevns. Hits and runs: off Gibson 7 and 4 in 5 2-3 innings; off Burck 4 and 1 in 3 innings; off Horton 6 and 4 in 5 innings; off Moseley 2 and 1 in 1 1-3 innings; off Starr 9 and 9 in 2 2-3 innings; off Muncrief 9 and 9 in 1-3 inning. Base on balls: off Gibson 2, off Horton 3, off Moseley 1, off Burck 3. Struck out: by Gibson 5, by Horton 2, by Burck 2, by Starr 2. Left on bases: Fort Worth 11, San Antonio 8. Umpires: Passarella and Steengrafe. Time: 2:14.

SPORTS 5; REBELS 2

SHREVEPORT—(AP)—Shreveport's Sports made a clean sweep of their three-game series with the Dallas Rebels Saturday night when the locals defeated the Texans, 5 to 2. Jack Hallett went the route for the Sports.

Dallas	AB	R	H	Shreveport	AB	R	H
Rigby 2b	3	1	0	Trent cf	5	1	2
Mort 1b	4	0	2	Meyer 2b	4	1	1
Eckhardt rf	4	1	1	York ss	4	1	1
Easterling lf	3	0	0	Wash'gtn rf	3	1	2
Lee cf	4	0	0	Curtright lf	2	1	1
Clarke 3b	4	0	0	Ermisch 3b	3	0	1
Adair ss	3	0	0	Gr'nberg 3b	0	0	0
Weiland c	4	0	1	Lopat 1b	4	0	0
Gliatto p	3	0	0	Andrews c	4	0	0
x Levey	1	0	0	Hallett p	3	0	0
				z Peel	1	0	1
Totals	33	2	4	Totals	33	5	9

x—Batted for Gliatto in 9th.
z—Batted for Ermisch in 7th.

Dallas	200	000	000	—2
Shreveport	100	010	30x	—5

Errors: Easterling, Adair, Curtright and Ermisch. Runs batted in: Eckhardt 2, Curtright, Peel 2. Two base hit: Mort. Three base hit: Washington. Home run: Eckhardt. Left on bases: Dallas 7, Shreveport 9. Base on balls: off Hallett 3, Gliattto 4. Struck out: by Gliatto 3; by Hallett 7. Hit by pitcher: by Gliatto (Meyer). Wild pitches: Hallett. Umpires: Williamson and Naylor. Time: 1:32.

PALS 9; LINERS 2

PALESTINE—(AP)—Dick Valencia and George Kovach led the Palestine Pals to an easy victory over Texarkana Saturday night, 9 to 2. Leonard Barnes, Pal outfielder, hit a homer in the first. Herb Nordquist held the Liners to four hits while the locals rapped Burlon Betterton for 14.

Texarkana	000	100	100	—2	4	1
Palestine	330	011	01x	—9	14	0

Betterton and Toeller; Nordquist and Martin.

Many of the things we ask for are not worth having.

33 Rookies Remain On Club Lists

American League Has Good Percentage

Thirty-three rookies survived the annual reduction to the player limit of 25 on May 15 in the American League, 33 out of 98. Very good percentage and probably more than half of the 33 will survive the 1940 campaign.

The 33, by the way, include Infielders Boudreau and Mack, who received trials with Cleveland in 1939, Shortstop Alan Strange of the St. Louis Browns, who was up before, Second Baseman McCoy who finished the season of '39 with Detroit and Pitchers Niggeling of St. Louis, Al Smith of Cleveland and Babich and Heusser of the Athletics and Infielder Peters of Cleveland who had had previous major league tests.

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Another club to have a quartet of youngsters is Chicago with Pitchers Weiland and Grove, Catcher Turner and Infielder Kennedy. Detroit has retained four in Pitchers Newhouser, Gorsica and Seats and Infielder Metha whom it took from Chicago via the waiver route.

Only three out of 15 Washington Nats survived the cut. They are Pitcher Hudson, Infielder Pofahl, no longer a regular, and Catcher Evans. Only one out of 10 Yankee rookies has been retained—Pitcher Marvin Breuer and he certainly has shown he is worth keeping.

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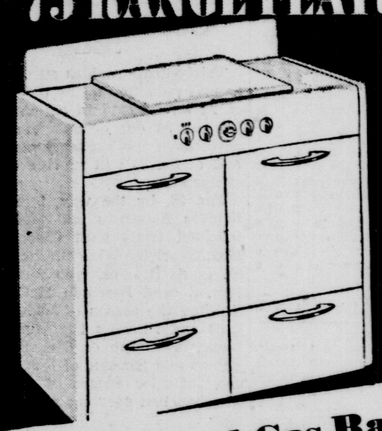

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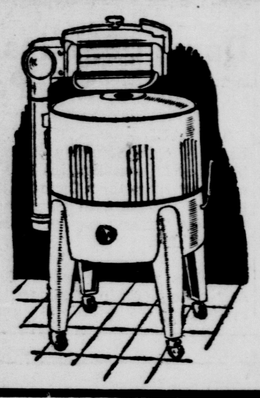

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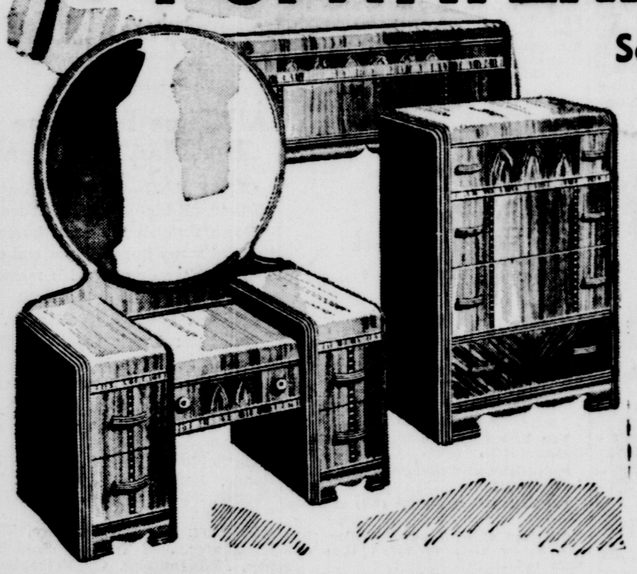

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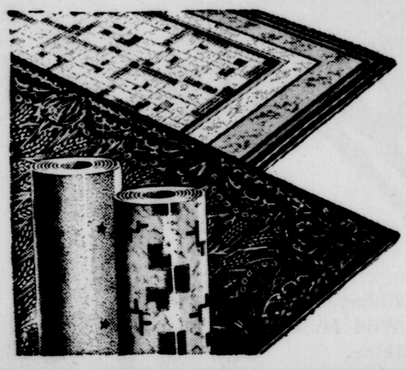

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Bormann-Horger Rites Impressive

McALLEN — Marked by smart simplicity the wedding of Miss Maryilyn Horger, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Horger, and N. L. Bormann, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Bormann, was performed at 9 a. m. Friday at the First Christian church before about 100 of the young couple's intimate friends and relatives as guests.

In a picturesque setting Rev H. J. Howard, pastor of the church, read the time-honored rites while Mrs. Dale Geislen, aunt of the groom, played soft music at the organ.

The marriage ceremony took place in front of an arched trellis, covered with fern and flecked with gardenia blossoms. Flanking the altar were twin potted palms with large floor baskets of white gladiolas between. To further complement the scene and adding an effective touch of color were well arranged bouquets of pink roses.

After a program of pre-nuptial music Mrs. H. J. Howard sang "Because."

Deviating from the usual entry into a church, the attendants walked down the side aisles to the altar. Entering with Miss Gloria Merts was Jens Mortenson of Weslaco and with Miss Elsie Steinman was Edward Grennenwein of San Juan.

Identically gowned, the attendants to the bride were most attractive in their powder blue frocks with large straw matching picture hats. Their flowers were nosegays of pink carnations.

The little bride entered with her father. Her gown and its rose color were in contrast with the costumes of her attendants. It was simply made and with it she wore a veiled hat of pale orchid and carried an arm bouquet of white roses.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Horger was chic in a sand toned street frock with a corsage of sweetheart roses. Mrs. Bormann's gown was navy blue sheer topped with a corsage of white roses.

After the church ceremony there was a reception at the Horger home for the young couple.

Here the same smart simplicity prevailed. With a clever motif featuring the refreshment table where the bride cut the traditional first slice of the three-tiered cake. Mrs. T. J. Powell, Mrs. J. C. Ziebell and Mrs. Harry Merts presided.

The table, laid with a crocheted cloth, was centered with a pale pink horehair hat filled with quantities of feverfew and talisman roses. A large pale blue satin bow topped the hat and its streamers spread to one end of the table. Flanking the hat were two antique blue glass hens filled with mints.

In the midst of quantities of rice the young couple left for a trip to Galveston and Houston to return Sunday night. On their return they will make their home in Leslie addition where their house is already equipped and ready. A number of the reception guests visited the newlyweds' home Friday morning.

Going away Mrs. Bormann wore a navy blue pinchecked full skirted frock with a short fitted navy jacket whose epaulettes were of the skirt's material. Her accessories were white.

Out-of-Valley guests at the wedding were the bride's paternal grandmother, Mrs. S. D. Horger, and her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Young, all of Austin, and H. B. Gilette and E. F. Collins of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bormann have lived in McAllen most of their lives and their families are prominently known.

June Bride-To-Be Guest Of Honor For Small Luncheon

HARLINGEN — Miss Rachel Morris, whose marriage to George Pletcher Jr., is to be an event of June 2, was honored by a luncheon especially attractive in appointive details when Miss Marion Williams was hostess at one o'clock Saturday at her home, 902 E. Taylor. Miss Morris is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Morris.

Blue, yellow, and green were effectively combined in decoration of the luncheon board and other details. Flowers were bachelor buttons and calendulas.

Lovely dolls, made by the hostess, marked the places and represented bridesmaids dressed in quaint frocks of green with yellow hats. A dainty bride, with traditional veil and wedding bouquet, was at the honoree's place.

As the final course lovely shower gifts for the bride-to-be were brought to the table on a tray.

The personnel, which included a few close friends of the bride, consisted of Mrs. Charles Holbrook, Mrs. Bud Peiper, Miss Ivy Boone, Miss Jean Henderson, Miss Edith Rollins, and the guest of honor.

Francis West Is Co-Omega Hostess

McALLEN—The Co-Omega Club met Thursday night for a social session at the home of Miss Francis West.

Refreshments were served to Jeanette Rucker, Alva Lockhart, Helen Parrish, Francis Meek, Betty Bob Kyler, Mary Ann Robinson and the hostess.

Tandys Go

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Dave Tandy and Mrs. Tandy's mother, Mrs. C. B. McClain, all of Dallas, have returned to their homes after spending 10 days here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Tandy.

Mrs. Terry Bentley Sanders of Edinburg announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Ruth, to Cecil Roberts of Pharr, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Roberts of Pharr. The wedding is to take place June 9 at Trinity Episcopal Church of Pharr. The couple will make their home in Pharr, where the groom is in the produce business with his father. The bride-to-be's brother, Terry B., who is a student of Harvard University, will arrive from Cambridge, Mass., to give his sister in marriage.

Miss Blanche Gilbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Gilbert, was much feted among the San Benito high school graduates who shared in an exciting round of pre-commencement parties. She is a native of San Benito and the youngest daughter of one of the prominent pioneer families.

Announcement of the engagement and coming marriage of Miss Catherine Stotler of Mercedes to Darold Jackson of Harlingen was made Wednesday at a large tea given by Mrs. H. T. Stotler, mother of the bride-to-be Miss Stotler is the daughter of a pioneer Valley family and Mr. Jackson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Jackson of Harlingen.

Miss Elaine Dorfman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Dorfman of Brownsville, is one of the pretty and popular members of the graduating class of the Brownsville high school this year. She is shown above in the dainty frock she wore at the tea given in her honor by her aunt, Mrs. H. Peter Oshman, recently. (Staff Photo)

Setting For Hospitality Is Delightful

WESLACO — Particular interest was afforded by a delightful courtesy of Thursday when Mrs. J. Bryan Ivy and Mrs. J. S. McManus entertained with a luncheon bridge at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen. Lovely pastel shades were reflected in arrangements of roses, snapdragons, and sweetheart roses.

Attractive crystal bubble bowls with bouquets of floating sweetheart roses centered the card tables and the luncheon board beautifully emphasized the chosen theme in floral appointments.

Mrs. Ivy was becomingly dressed in white and wore an elaborate corsage of gladiolas. Mrs. McManus was smart in black sheer and her corsage was also of gladiolas.

After the luncheon courses, ten tables were placed in a delightful setting for the games. Prize awards were exquisite crystal and wrappings repeated the chosen pastel tints.

HOME FROM VISIT

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. Clarence Pederson and son, Paulie, have returned from a week's vacation with Mrs. Pederson's sisters in Coleman. One sister, Mrs. Jean Micheal, is now a guest in the Pederson home.

Informal Note Prevails When Two Are Hostesses In City Of Palms Friday

McALLEN — Easy informality marked the coffee Friday morning for which Mrs. Clyde Hollon and Mrs. J. K. Boettger were hostesses at the latter's home.

About 100 guests called during the coffee hours and having been served walked in the garden and played ping pong outdoors at the rear of the house.

Keeping the simple informal note, members of the house party wore morning sports frocks which were gay and colorful. Each sported a boutonniere of white asters tied with a bright ribbon.

Assisting the hostesses were Mrs. L. L. O'Neall and Mrs. J. G. Roberts who poured; Mrs. M. C. Brown, Mrs. Frank Barthel, Mrs. F. O. Kyte and Mrs. O. Terry

A huge silver bowl of daisies was the only decoration on the coffee table, further made graceful with silver coffee appointments.

The same flowers were mingled with bouquets of vari-toned gladioli to decorate the comfortable living room of the Boettger home.

Edcouch 4-H Club Plans For Meeting

EDCOUCH—Plans for the 4-H Club Encampment at Rio Hondo June 14-15 and an all day meeting May 30, were the main features of the meeting of the Edcouch-Elsa 4-H Club Thursday morning at the home of the sponsor, Mrs. Hugo Dyal.

Geraldine Harbison was enrolled as a new member. Mrs. Dyal and Aileen Wade served refreshments to those present.

GUESTS OF PARENTS

LOS FRESNOS—Mr. and Mrs. Dale Barr and son, Dale, Jr., of Laredo, were weekend visitors of his parents Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Barr.

Santone Guest

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Jess Vernon of San Antonio is visiting with Mrs. R. M. Hannah and Mrs. Dennis Olson and other friends during the week-end.

Miss Joyce Littlepage has become a favorite with the younger set since coming with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hill, a year ago to make their home at Bayview. She received her diploma at the recent commencement for seniors graduating from San Benito high school.

TO BEGIN VACATION

LYFORD—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cox and family are leaving soon for an extended vacation to Hot Springs, Ark., and other points of interest.

LEAVE FOR SUMMER

ALAMO — Mrs. Jennie Younkin and her granddaughter, Florence Jo Hahn left Friday for Kansas where they will spend the summer.

Work Meet Slated

MISSION—Favors for the luncheon which members of the Valley Salon of Eight and Forty will give at the state convention in Laredo this summer will be prepared Monday afternoon when salon members meet at the home of Mrs. S. P. Rosette. The meeting is called for three o'clock.

SMITHS ON VACATION

LA FERIA—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith and children, Marjorie, Gene, and Ruth left Friday for a month's visit on Mr. Smith's father's ranch near Stamford.

GUEST OF PARENTS

MISSION — Connell McHenry, student in A. and I., spent the week end in Mission with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McHenry.

Informal Coffee Held For Pair

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Jack Wiech entertained informally at a morning coffee and lawn party as a farewell gesture to Mrs. Collis P. Perkins, and Mrs. C. L. Robison. Mrs. Perkins and her two daughters departed Friday for Pennsylvania to join Mr. Perkins and make their home. Mrs. Robison and her young son leave Tuesday for Clarksville where they will visit before going on to Miami, Florida, where Mr. Robison has been transferred.

Both Mrs. Perkins and Mrs. Robison are members of the Junior Self-Culture club, and other members of the club made up the guest list.

The club flower, the pink and white oleander, was used on the coffee table.

Others besides the club members attending included Mrs. E. T. Yates, sponsor, and Mrs. H. E. Watkins, honory member.

Recent Rites Announced

ALAMO — Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson announce the marriage of their daughter, Elaine, to John Clayton Foster, son of Mrs. J. W. Foster of San Juan. The single ring ceremony was performed May 19 at the Faith American Lutheran Church in Weslaco with Rev. George Reck officiating.

The bride wore a street dress of blue crepe with white accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of roses.

Miss Faye Wallace, Weslaco, and Vernon Scott, San Juan, attended the couple and Mrs. Reck played the traditional wedding music on the piano.

Setting for the marriage rites was of daisies, gladiolas, and roses.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in Alamo.

The couple is residing in their new home on South Morningside Road.

Observes Birthday

ALAMO — Spenser Knapp celebrated his fourth birthday on Monday with the following playmates invited to share birthday cake and play games: Wayne and E. H. Bresset, Charles and Marion Davis, Sydney and James Swallo, Bobby Caddel, George Day, Johnny Lockett, and Neels Jensen.

Each guest received a rubber ball favor.

League To Make Survey In McAllen

Child Aid Project To Be Advanced

McALLEN — A city-wide health survey among McAllen's indigent families will be launched next week by members of the Junior Service League to determine how many potential patients there are here in need of aid at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

The survey will be made by members of the league working in groups of two among 15 alloted districts in the city where officials feel chances of finding children in need of medical aid are highly probable.

The league, sponsors of the clinic, and clinic officials, are particularly interested in discovering cases of untreated diarrhea and tuberculosis among children in time to give them sufficient assistance to insure possible recovery. it was stated.

For the remainder of the league's club year, which started Thursday, the investigators assigned stiupulated districts will keep their territories in order to become acquainted with its residents. Case files will be kept at the clinic with a copy at league headquarters. Officials expect in time to gather complete data on health and health conditions among those who are unable to afford medical aid and acquaint them with the fact that free aid can be obtained at the clinic thrice weekly with visits and treatment between clinic days. Districts for the survey were arranged by Mrs. O. Terry, investigation leader.

League members were assigned districts at their meeting Thursday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. As data is gathered it will be turned into the clinic nurse.

The meeting Thursday marked last time the league will meet for regular session for the summer. Members will be subject to call at any time, however, Mrs. J. K. Boettger, president, said.

It was voted at the meeting to change the days the Community House is open from Saturday to Tuesday for the duration of the summer. The new plan will go into effect June 4.

Lunch Held In Edcouch

EDCOUCH—To mark the close of activity for the year for the Edcouch Women's Study Club a luncheon was held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. L. B. Doshier. Co-hostesses were Mesdames Gordon Smith, W. C. Moore, and T. S. Hughes.

Roses, zinnias and snap dragons were used about the home and to decorate the luncheon board.

A song, the words composed by Mrs. A. J. Harrell, outgoing president, was sung to the tune of "Our Valley Home" and dedicated to Mrs. James Barr, the new president. Other new officers, installed by Mrs. C. A. Whittle, are: Mrs. Joe Wilson, vice president; Mrs. I. M. Smith, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Gordon Smith, parliamentarian.

100 Attend Final Meet

HARLINGEN — Teachers and members of the school board were special guests when the High School Parent-Teacher met for a luncheon this week in connection with their final meeting of the year. Mrs. Marie Grapperhaus, president, welcomed the guests.

A specially honor guest was Mrs. J. M. Longfellow, pioneer Harlingen resident and gradmother of one of the girl graduates, Dorothy Durham. A hundred were present for the luncheon and program.

Pleasing violin numbers were played by Robin Burdette who was accompanied by his father, G. I. Burdette.

Mrs. Grapperhaus presented Mrs. W. C. Magee, new president, who introduced officers that will serve with her during the coming year.

After singing "'Til We Meet Again," the group adjourned until September.

Mrs. Frank Keller Is Bridge Hostess

MISSION — Bright colored zinnias in varied hues gave summer charm to the rooms when Mrs. Frank Keller entertained the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

Mrs. Dalton Killinger held high score honors for the afternoon and Mrs. A. P. Landry, second high. Others seated for the games were Miss Mary Bea Tiller and Mesdames Norton Boyd, Pat Levens, Charles Langston, O. W. Edwards and the hostess.

Cooling refreshments were served after the games.

Delegate Is Named To Council Meeting

EDCOUCH—Mrs. W. W. Wilson presided at a meeting of the Lone Star Home Demonstration Club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leslie Hughes. Mrs. James R. Barr was named delegate to the County Council meeting in June when three delegates from the various clubs of the county will be elected to attend a meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association members in College Station during the month of July. Mrs. Barr the council delegate gave a report of the last council meeting and announced that the encampment would be held at McAllen on June 12th.

The hostess served a delicious sweet course.

Elaborate Dance Given To Honor Girl Graduate

EDINBURG—Miss Barbara Baldridge, 1940 graduate of Edinburg High School, was honored by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dair Baldridge, at a large reception and dance at the Country Club Thursday night.

Receiving the guests were Mrs. Baldridge, wearing a striking gown of navy blue pique with white flower design and a fitted bolero of white; the honoree, who chose a white net gown with a basque waist with ruffled sweetheart neckline and a ruffled skirt; Miss Sonora Bryan, wearing a pink net skirt with a fitted blouse of taffeta; Miss Helen Frances Ramsour, attractive in a black net shirred creation; Miss Charlotte Tinkler, wearing a white chiffon blouse over a Roman stripe skirt; and Miss Billie Jean Roberts, in a pretty white taffeta gown.

Miss Barbara Baldridge (Kerr Photo)

Rainbow colored streamers were suspended from rafter to rafter, in a draped effect and hanging from the center of the ballroom was a huge silver spangled sphere upon which rainbow colors from a color wheel shone. At vantage points were huge baskets of gladiolas.

Miss Kay Teer had charge of the guest book, the memory book of the honoree.

Miss Marjorie Bonner and Miss Joyce Post guided the guests to the reception room where pleasing refreshments were served.

The table, covered with orchid cellophane, was centered with a chromium fountain surrounded by fern, pink rosebuds and lavender asters with eight orchids and pink glowing tapers illuminating the scene. The three-tiered cake, pink with orchid and yellow flowers embossed, was at one end of the table and at the other was the crystal punch bowl with the lavender punch. Pastel mints were served with the dainties. White napkins were ombossed with the honoree's name, "Barbara" in silver.

Pouring during the reception were Misses Bernice Douglass and Billie Kyle and Mrs. N. T. Presley cut the cake.

Graciously assisting were Mesdames Watt F. Tinkler, J. Loy Ramsour and M. C. Harris.

Following the reception about 300 guests danced to the music of Tony Valdez and his orchestra.

Mrs. John H. Barron Installed As Head Of Brownsville Federation

BROWNSVILLE — Reports of officers committee heads, and delegates, and the installation of new officers featured the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Brownsville Federation of Women's clubs in the final session of the year.

A large attendance was noted at the gathering at the First Presbyterian church.

As each officer, committee head and delegate made her report, Mrs. Neil Allen, retiring president, presented each with a rosebud in expression of her appreciation for cooperation. In her report, Mrs. Allen gave a resume of the year's work, emphasizing the work toward social betterment and beautification of Brownsville. At the close of her address, she was presented with a handsome gift from the federation by the incoming president, Mrs. John F. Barron.

In an impressive and original service, Mrs. Charles Watson installed the following elective and appointed officers: president, Mrs. John Barron, of the Athenian club; first vice-president, Mrs. J. Harrison Diltz, Brownsville Study club; second vice-president, Mrs. J. Gordon White of the Junior Self-Culture club; Recording secretary, Mrs. J. Grider Perkins of the Civic League; treasurer, Miss Ella Evans of the Self-Culture; corresponding secretary, Miss Betty Rockwell of the Junior Self-Culture club; parliamentarian, Mrs. Neil Allen, of the Self-Culture club; publicity, Mrs. D. P. Gay, Civic League; historian, Mrs. V. L. Conrad, Self-Culture; clubhouse, Mrs. W. A. George, Civic League; auditor, Mrs. Fred Knapp, of the Athenian club.

Immediately after her installation, Mrs. Barron was presented with a lovely arm bouquet of flowers by the Atheian club, and with the flower-decorated gavel by Mrs. Allen. The incoming leader made a brief talk outlining her aims and objectives for the year.

The next meeting of the federation will be held in the fall.

McAllen Methodist W.M.S. Hold Month's Social Gatherings

McALLEN — The Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church held their monthly social meetings Thursday at the homes of members.

The Ruth circle was entertained by Mrs. W. W. Holmes with Mrs. M. H. Laycock as co-hostess at the former's home. Mrs. M. B. Bormann gave the devotional with the program on "The Way of Peace in a World of Force" arranged by Mrs. Elmer Bentsen with Mrs. J. R. Harris assisting. Mrs. Bormann gave the skit she presented at the southwestern conference at Yoakum recently.

Virginia Holmes presided when refreshments were served to 19 members and one guest, Mrs. H. D. Rhodes.

At Mrs. O. K. Gilvin's home the Easter circle was entertained with Mrs. E. W. Ogden in charge. Mrs. Alma Osborn was in charge of the program, "The Blazer of Trails in inter-Racial Understanding" by Mrs. Luke Johnson. Assisting were Mrs. J. F. Robinson and Mrs. G. C. Ehlinger.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames George Fox, George Alley, J. F. Robinson, Jesse Whittaker, H. C. Quinn, A. E. Miller, S. Wetmore, H. K. Hasness, Claude Adamson, Alice Kunz, E. W. Odger, Floyd Glasscock, Ima Osborne, Ehlinger, Henry Glasscock, Thomas J. Hawarth William Albers and F. P. Phillips.

Moors Are Hosts To Bridge Group

EDCOUCH—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moore entertained the Merry Makers Bridge Club his week at their home. Lovely flowers were used for floral decorations. High score for the evening was held by Mrs. Gordon Smith and D. M. Fraser.

The hosts served light refreshments to Messrs and Mesdames T. S. Hughes, D. M. Fraser, Gordon Smith, Mrs. Henry Watson and Mrs. V. M. Watson.

Luncheon Marks Close Year's Work

HARLINGEN—Mrs. A. H. Goldammer and Mrs. A. T. Taylor were joint hostesses at the former's home for the covered dish luncheon held Thursday by the Child Study Club. The affair marked the close of the year's activity, except for the monthly birthday parties sponsored for children of members.

Pink and blue, the club's colors, were emphasized in pretty arrangements of flowerns about the rooms. Small containers of pink and blue blooms centered the quarter tables and cups in pink and blue held mints in matching shades.

Mrs. K. I. Dague gave the afternoon's talk discussing "Parents' Responsibility for their Children." Plans were made for an old-fashioned box supper Friday night at the home of Mrs. Harvey Richards when guests will be invited.

Mrs. Glenn Schuepbach, retiring president, was installing officer when the new club officers assumed their posts. They are Mrs. E. B. McClellan, president; Mrs. L. E. Seligman, vice president; Mrs. J. B. Hicks, treasurer; and Mrs. Frank Dempsey, secretary.

Committee chairmen include: Mrs. Seligman, program; Mrs. Schuepbach, social; Mrs. R. C. Frush, welfare; Mrs. J. C. Thrash, reporter and scrapbook; Mrs. Taylor, parliamentarian and Mrs. T. W. Foeh, attendance.

In behalf of the club Mrs. McClellan presented a lovely gift to Mrs. Schuepbach.

Members present in addition to the above named were Mesdames O. R. Flynn, Walter Maloan, W. O. Weller Jr., E. O. Matz, Joe Wood, and Harvey Richards. Mrs. R. M. Kirkland was a guest.

Mrs. Clark Is Hostess

McALLEN—Bowls of roses and double pinks lent fragrance and pleasing charm to the home of Mrs. Virgil Clark when she was hostess to the Sunny Border Bridge Club Wednesday. Mrs. Howell Norwood won the high score trophy in games of auction bridge.

Special guests were Mesdames Alfred Meyers, F. J. Johnson, Tonis Huston, Howell Norwood, Grace L. Miller Gilbert Huss, A. D. Hubbard, Miss Murial Mathis, and Mrs. H. E. Bennet, of Segraves, Texas, mother of the hostess.

Late in the afternoon a delicious dessert course was served to the guests and the following members, Mesdames O. C. Miller, W. D. Baden, Ray Erickson, Arthur Swaim, O. M. Stetson, M. A. Ingram, and Miss Ardath Miller.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Hubbard June 5.

Unique Event Honors Trio

HARLINGEN—One of the outstanding events for the high school graduates this week was a unique "slack tea" which was given at the home of Mrs. W. H. Matz honoring three girl graduates, Misses Geneva Llewellyn and Delitha Bothwell of Harlingen and Dorothy Hirsch of San Benito. Miss Florence Matz was co-hostess.

Throughout the rooms were lovely arrangements of roses, snapdragons and cosmos. The tea table was spread on the lawn and had a mirror plaque for centerpiece surrounded by red and white blossoms and fern. Favors were little May baskets of flowers.

Guests were Misses Jean Smith, Helen Batson Rozanne Pile, Bettylou Williams, Betty Louise Sanford, Clementine Baker, Margie Harwood, Dorothy Lloyd, Bernice Childress, Bernell Childress, Floyce Garrett, Evelyn Mae Carlson, Frances Hyland, Virginia Hill, Agnes Howell, Evangeline Prenzler, Mary Jo Phipps, and LuVerna McKenna.

Guests from San Benito were Misses Marie Ann Horkman, Juanita Hirsch, Corrine Prather, Dorothy Jean Barber, and Frieda Schneider.

Praise Given Recitalists

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. C. P. Barreda, director of the School of Music M. B. G., and her pupils, are still receiving letters of congratulation and commendation on interpretation and technique on the recital held May 15 at the junior college auditorium.

Mrs. Barreda presented in recital her pupils: Carmelita Celaya, Margaret Aziz, Mary Chengos, Josephine Sobrino, Helen Serafy, Marie Emita Marin, Maria de la Garza, Marie Perez and Miss Irene Alonso Reed.

Camelita Celaya, who has been studying for only five months, presented selctions by Bayer and Kleinmichel; Margaret Aziz, Beyer, Girynn, and Poldini; Mary Chengos, Beyer, Richter, and Allison; Josephine Sobrino, Beyer, Weitz, and Brahms.

Helen Serafy, who was given her first grade certificate played works of Gurlit, Burgmuller, Clementi, Strauss; Maria Emita Mario, Bach, Heller, Czerny, Poldini, and Reinhold; Maria Estela Perez, Bach, Beller, Czerny, Chopin, Brahms, and Hei Heins.

Maria de la Garza, who presented selections by Bach, Heller, Czerny, Clementi, Lhadow and Paderewski, was presented the gold medal by Professor Antonio Ortiz, who acted as judge. The medal is awarded for the most progress during the year and for performance. Miss Reed, an advanced pupil, was presented her fourth grade certificate.

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McAllen Beta Sigma Phi's Plan Work

Officers of the McAllen chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority were busily discussing program arrangements in one of their executive sessions recently, the first held since the new group was installed. One of the active social and cultural organizations in the city, meetings of the sorority are marked by its standard excellence of programs. New officers are left to right, Mrs. John Beckenholdt, vice president; Miss Dorothy Allsen, treasurer; Miss Rubye Maddux, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Jack Doherty, president; and Miss Virginia Bonner, recording secretary.

VISITS SISTER

LA FERIA—Edward Wallace Jr. is visiting his sister, Miss Carolyn Wallace, at Liberty, Texas.

LA FERIA—Mrs. R. L. Clayton and Jean are visiting Mrs. Clayton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reeves at Bonham, Texas.

VISITING SISTER

LA FERIA—Mrs. F. O. Costello of LaRue is visiting her sister, Mrs F. C. Hall.

Club Year Ended For Ebanos Unit

BROWNSVILLE — Reports from all officers and committee heads were heard by members of Los Ebanos Garden club at the final meeting of the current club year Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. Joe K. Wells.

The members voted to meet only once a month next year. These sessions will be held on the third Thursday in the month. Initial plans were made for a large benefit bridge to be held in the fall.

The new slate of officers, who will be installed next year, were presented. These are Mrs. R. A. Porter, president; Mrs. Osca M. Longnecker, Jr., vice-president; Mrs. Bill Barber, secretary; and Mrs. C. S. Eidman, treasurer.

Those attending were Mesdames A. K. Black, Robert M. D. Duffy, Larry Lightner, W. E. McDavitt, Drew Patterson, Oscar M. Longnecker, Jr., Dean Porter, R. A. Porter, Martin Price, Herbert D. Seago, Thomas H. Sweeney, Joe Vivier, Jr., and Jack Wiech.

TO ATTEND WEDDING

MISSION — Mrs. R. P. Conway, Miss Mary Alice Conway and Miss Alice Fred left Wednesday for Faulkton, S. D., where they will attend the wedding of Miss Frad's sister, to take place Sunday. Mrs. Conway and her daughter will return late in June, while Miss Frad will remain in the north for the summer.

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This 'N' That

By Minnie Gilbert

CENIZO BUSHES are bursting with bloom right now.

And most folks don't know whether this means another rain, the deluge Corpus Christi got Thursday, or maybe is a result of the 4½ inches of a few weeks back.

Just before that deluge some cenizo hedges were lightly covered with the pinkish flowers.

So there's always ground for arguing the belief of many that cenizo blooms mean rain.

It's been our notion that cenizo blooms and the heart's delight of the Falfurrias section are nearly identical in color but we've never had the chance to observe the two together.

ALWAYS AN interesting conversationalist, Father Antoine attracts a rapt audience these days whenever he has time to give the war background of his native corner of France.

In his lifetime there have been three major invasions by Germans of the area in which he grew to boyhood.

Before the outbreak of hostilities, he remarked 16 male members of his family, mostly nephews, were on lists that would be among the very first called for national defense.

SOME ONE OUGHT to tell the orioles that the persimmon crop isn't worth waiting for this spring.

For the first time in years, the chapotes have failed to produce a bumper crop of sweetish black fruit for the mocking birds and orioles to fight their annual battles over.

Another failure on the part of nature to follow Valley precedent was the total lack of ebony blossoms after the tremendous rain of a few weeks ago.

Usually a good rain brings out fuzzy mantles of the fragrant blossoms but for some time ebony blooms have been a rarity.

THE MAN WITH the green fingers says plant mountain laurel seeds with a part of the red showing above the ground.

In other words a la nature.

Just so partly exposed, one might expect seeds to be situated after falling from the trees in their tough black pods.

REFER TO MEASLES as "it" not "them" an authority corrects a remark.

Bouts with three forms of measles gives us deep respect for "it."

WAX YOUR OWN thread is the advice given by Mrs. Frank Grimsell after learning of the advantage of using the waxed sewing thread being sold in the mid-west but not yet handled in Valley stores.

Waxed thread doesn't knot or tangle and is a special joy in making buttonholes—the old-fashioned kind.

The Harlingen woman simply drops the spools of cotton twist into melted hot wax and the entire skein is impregnated enough to make knotting unlikely.

THERE'S NOTHING like watching the big water rolling in on the Gulf of Mexico to clear heads muddled with war news and defense talk.

In fact, there's nothing like water to make summer more pleasant on the beach or at home.

Which brings to mind that a lot of kiddies could be having fun in the wading pool at the Harlingen park near the Woman's Building if it were reconditioned for use.

Members of the Day Nursery board would like for it to be made available for the 20 or more children cared for at the nursery when their afternoon naps are over.

A certain period could be allotted for these youngsters and earlier or later hours for other children if some club or adults would be responsible for watching an hour or so each afternoon.

By draining the water out at regular periods, there would be no possibility of danger to a child venturing in at times when watchers were not on duty.

ORNAMENTAL PEPPERS, as well as the many interesting gourds now claiming the interest of gardeners, are gaining in popularity in the Valley especially with owners of Spanish and ranch-type homes.

A new variety of pepper developed in the J. W. Mayfield garden near Stuart Place promises to excite a great deal of comment.

The plants are a cross between a large flat German yellow pepper and the ornamental pepper common to the Valley.

Seed for the yellow flat variety were brought direct from Germany by the former Margaret Graalman.

Fruit from the hybrid, developed in Mrs. Mayfield's flower garden last year for the first time, are not so large as the German peppers but are smooth and a beautiful red color.

Recital Set Friday

BROWNSVILLE — Miss Betty Jean McMinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. McMinn, will be presented in a studio recital Friday evening by Miss Virginia Perry, her instructor.

Miss McMinn, one of the talented pianists in the Valley, will be heard at the event to be held beginning at 8 o'clock in Miss Perry's studio, 508 Elizabeth street. Assisting the pianist will be Miss Elizabeth Canales, soprano, who will be presented in several numbers by her instructor, Miss Mildred Ormesher.

Miss McMinn, who has been studying piano for the past 10 years, is assistant organist for the First Presbyterian church, and was heard in organ recital last year.

GOES TO KANSAS

ALAMO—Mrs. C. F. Reynard accompanied Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Reynard to Manhattan, Kansas on Friday to attend the commencement exercises of her son, Leon.

To Wed At West Point

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Mayer of Woodhaven, N. Y. and Wantagh, Long Island, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Beatrice Mayer, to Cadet William Goodnow Stoddard, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stoddard of La Feria, Texas and Howell, Mich. The wedding will take place June 14 at the West Point Chapel.

Wedding Will Follow West Point Graduation Of Youth From La Feria

LA FERIA—An announcement of much interest to friends in this community and other Valley cities is being made today in newspapers in New York City. The announcement reads:

"Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Mayer of Woodhaven, New York and Wantagh, Long Island, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Beatrice Marie Mayer, to Cadet William Goodnow Stoddard, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stoddard of La Feria, Texas and Howell, Michigan.

"Miss Mayer, after graduating from high school, studied art education and later fashion design at Pratt Institute. She comes from the third generation of a famous lumber family.

"Mr. Stoddard will graduate from the United States Military Academy in June.

"The wedding is scheduled for June 14 at the West Point Chapel after which there will be a reception at the Thayer West Point Hotel. After the wedding the couple plan an extended honeymoon through the United States, Canada, and Mexico.

"The bridesmaids are Miss Lillian Kaye of Brooklyn, N. Y., Miss Dorothea Marsh of New Jersey, and Miss Jean Roberts of New York, students at Pratt Institute, and Miss Betty McDonald of New York.

John Manley Stoddard, brother of the bridegroom-elect will be best man. Ushers will include Thomas Gordon of Maine, Alan Rorick of Ohio, and Alan Stock of New York, Mr. Stoddard's classmates.

June Event Slated By Child Study

BROWNSVILLE—Members of the Child Study club will install new officers at the final meeting of the year which will be in the form of a Dutch breakfast in the patio at Landrum's June 11.

At this session, Mrs. Frank Kolster, president of the Valley-wide Council of Mothers will be guest speaker. She will be presented by the new prospectus committee headed by Mrs. Harold Haaker and Mrs. David Joost, junior and senior directors.

Those to be installed include Mrs. David J. Young, Jr., president; Mrs. Raymond Richards, first vice president; Mrs. Earnest Harris, second vice president; Mrs. R. L. Hunter, secretary; Mrs. R. W. DuBose, corresponding secretary; Miss Gladys Zook, treasurer, and Mrs. David Joost, parliamentarian.

Committees for next year include: Program, Mrs. David Joost, Mrs. Harold Haaker; membership, Mrs. R. W. DuBose and Mrs. Earnest Harris; finance, Mrs. R. L. Hunter; entertainment, Mrs. Frank Torres.

All mothers who are interested in child study work are cordially invited to attend the June session.

At the meetings this year panel discussions were held and different phases of child training work taken up.

Study Club Ends Study For Year

New Committees Are Announced

HARLINGEN—Annual reports of officers and a glance forward at the program of study for the coming year were furnished members of the Harlingen Study Club Thursday when they met at the Woman's Building.

Mrs. A. B. Newell directed the program and asked each member to mention briefly the particular event or report at the Valley Federation meeting that impressed her most.

Mrs. T. S. Herren was installing officer when the corpus for the new club year assumed their posts. Mrs. J. N. Crawford was installed for a second term as president. Other officers are Mrs. Keith McCanse, first vice president; Mrs. R. M. Loving, second vice president; Mrs. Stanley Bliss, recording secretary; Mrs. M. A. Childers, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Wm. L. Trammell, treasurer; Committee chairmen announced by Mrs. Crawford include: Mrs. Paul Brown, historian; Mrs. F. T. Neary, parliamentarian; Mrs. J. J. Murray, critic, and Mrs. Dan Murphy, press reporter.

Mrs. Murphy, new yearbook chairman, distributed books for the coming year and briefly sketched the study entitled, "Vistas All About Us," She presented members of her committee who assisted in preparation of the study program.

Members of the retiring yearbook committee were hostesses for the short social period when punch was served with cookies.

Dinner Dance Held By Club

HARLINGEN—A gay event of the week was the dinner dance given by the Dunkers Club at the Swiss chalet Wednesday night with members of the Hearts Club as special guests and Miss Delitha Bothwell, charter club member, as honoree. Miss Bothwell, who is a 1940 high school graduate, received a gift from the club.

A spring dance by Miss Florence Matz was a special feature.

The members and guests were seated at a long table for the courses. Purple and gold, the club colors, were noted in decoration of the hall. Mrs. E. O. Matz, club president, was toast mistress.

Present were Messrs. and Mesdames E. O. Matz, Alex Matz, Frank Matz, Lynn McCall, Bill Winters Bob Strong and Bob Gamble, Mesdames L. Hirsch, San Benito, Bill Otha, Houston, Mary Everhardt, and Charlene McBride.

Misses Edna Belle Farrar, Frances Payne, Bernice Prenzler, Gladys Wallace, Juanita and Dorothy Hirsch, Delitha Bothwell, Sarah Hanna, Lorraine Codner, and Evelyn Dell, and Frank Mage, La Feria, Martin Matz, Glenn Otha, David Jeffrey and John Matz.

Encampment Plans Reported To Club

HARLINGEN — Palmetal club members heard plans for encampment and the council report at the recent meeting at the home of Mrs. W. R. Elmore. Mrs. J. L. McMillian is in charge of the evening entertainment at camp when a prize of a dollar will be given for the best three minute report of last year's work completed by all clubs.

Money and blanks must be presented to Mrs. W. A. Hext not later than June 7, it was announced, for the construction of matteresses.

All members were urged to attend the meeting next club day when pictures of all officers and members will be made for the club scrapbook.

Refreshments were served to 16.

TO GRADUATE

MISSION—Jose M. Austin, Mission, is one of the candidates for graduation listed on the invitations to the commencement exercises of Shreiner Institute, Kerrville. The graduation programs will be held from May 26 to May 29.

Recreation Talk Given For Club

HARLINGEN—A very delightful talk on recreation for club meetings, with demonstrations in the form of songs, skits, and get-acquainted talks, was given to the South Harlingen Home Demonstration Club at their recent meeting by Mrs. J. C. Peek.

Mrs. C. E. Morgan was elected delegate to the associational meet and Mrs. Horace Bobo named secretary to succeed Mrs. Browning Smith, resigned.

Graduate Is Honoree

Miss Betty Ruth Doshier, Edcouch-Elsa high school honor student, is one of the girl graduates honored with a number of interesting events during the commencement season. She is the daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. L. B. Doshier. During her senior year Miss Doshier was queen of the Hallowe'en carnival, an outstanding school event, cheer leader for the Yellow Jacket pep squad and president of the music club. (Kerr Studio)

Brownsville Pair Notes Anniversary

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Marcelo Garzo celebrated their 32nd wedding anniversary with a family dinner and reception Friday evening at their home.

Magnolia blossoms were used as the centerpiece for the table, and for decorations about the rooms.

Members of the family who attended the dinner were their sons, Eleno Garza and Mrs. Garza of Weslaco, Salvador Garza and Mrs. Garza, Jr.; the celebrants' daughters, Mrs. Alfonso Alonso and Mr. Alonso, Misses Raquel and Irma Garza; and six grandchildren. Another guest was Mrs. Marcelo Garza's sister, Mrs. Facunda M. Vda de Moya of Matamoros.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcelo Garza, both of Matamoros, married 32 years ago in their home city, came to the American side of the river to spend their honeymoon and remained to make their home. Mrs. Garza is the former Miss Virginia Moya.

Wood WMS Unit Handles Program For Baptists

BROWNSVILLE—The Wood circle was in charge of the program with Mrs. Roy Alderman as leader at the meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church.

The topic, "Youth of Today," was discussed by Mesdames W. C. Wood, Charles Pierce, Clyde Richmond, J. P. Glenn, Fred Knapp, Roy Alderman, K. A. Wallace, Sam Lee and R. H. Bice. Mrs. Wallace played a violin solo, and Mrs. Lester Crawford also assisted with the program.

Rodneys Leave

BROWNSVILLE—Colonel George Bridges Rodney, U. S. A. retired, and Mrs. Rodney, have returned to their home in San Antonio after spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Davis.

Baptist Camp Opens Soon In Rio Hondo

RIO HONDO—Beginning of summer vacation will afford particular enjoyment and benefit to the scores of Baptist young people expected to enroll this week for the annual encampment sponsored by the Lower Rio Grande Valley Association of Baptist W.M.U.

Boys will register Monday afternoon and continue camp activities until Wednesday afternoon when girls will arrive to remain for the rest of the wee'.

Mrs. James Hicks, Corpus Christi, district young people's leader, will be in charge of registration. Rev. Claud Hennessee of Sebasitan is camp director, and Mrs. A. J. Harrell, Edcouch, associational young people's leader, is general director. She will be assisted by all local W.M.U. leaders.

Particular interest will be afforded by the talks to be presented by missionaries during the week. Mrs. D. H. LaSuer, Mission, former missionary to Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Newbrough of Harlingen, are among the missionary speakers.

Inspirational services and study periods have been scheduled during the day, broken frequently by recreation sessions, camp stunts, and intervals for outdoor sports.

Maces Leave

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mace plan to leave Wednesday by motor for Minneapolis, Minnesota, where they will visit Mrs. Mace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nylen. While in Minnesota they will visit in Montevideo with Mr. Mace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mace. At present they plan to return to Brownsville about June 14, and to spend the following week-end in Mexico City, going there by plane.

WINS PRIZE TRIP

LOS FRESNOS—Bill Lupton, who has been taking a business course in San Antonio, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lupton, over the weekend. Bill, who has won a trip to Indianapolis, will leave on May 28.

Mrs. Bowers New Matron For O. E. S.

HARLINGEN — Mrs. Mary M. Bowers was named worthy matron for the coming year at the Thursday night meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star. She will succeed Mrs. Berta Paine who has directed the chapter for the year now ending. The new group of officers includes: Mrs. Bowers, worthy matron; Grover Brown, worthy patron; Mrs. Celia Fristoe, associate matron; Hugh Ramsey, associate patron; Mrs. Ethel Connell, secretary; Mrs. Neva Twiss, treasurer; Mrs. Martha Smith, conductress; Mrs. Lola Ramsey, associate conductress; Mrs. Gussie Carr, chaplain; Mrs. Bert McGlathery, marshal; Mrs. Mabel Lee Perry, organist; Mrs. Alice McKeithan, Adah; Mrs. Denna Thompson, Ruth; Mrs. Viola Fredrickson, Esther; Mrs. Carolyn Phillips, Father; Mrs. Estelline Hubert, Electa; Miss Margaret Jennings, warder; and Dr. F. N. Smith, sentinel.

Public installation will be May 31 at 8 p.m. at the Masonic Hall. Next meeting will be June 13.

At the close of the Thursday evening meeting, pleasing refreshments were served by Mrs. Ida Bowersox.

Clio Club Group Plans For Stay At Encampment

HARLINGEN—Mrs. C. R. McInnis and Miss Lillian McInnis entertained the Clio Home Demonstration club at their home this week. During the business session plans for the encampment in Rio Hondo June 13-14 were made.

Mrs. D. R. Bowden was placed in charge of the stunts, Mrs. B. W. Searcy was named chairman of the exhibit committee, and Mrs. F. F Ewing was named to give the club report.

Mrs. Clay Mills gave the report of the last council meeting and Mrs. James Marshall gave an interesting account of her trip to San Antonio for the district meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs.

The program was in accordance with national celebration of Music Week. Mrs. Ewing gave a talk on the life of Stephen C. Foster and the club sang some of his best loved songs with Miss McInnis at the piano.

Delightful refreshments were served to 18 members and one guest.

Well, now that the golf turnament is over, we can settle down. Guy LaRoe, new women's public links golf champion, was feted at the Cabana and reecived a big hand from the crowd when she spoke from the podium. Mrs. LaRoe is from Terrell, Texas. We have it from good authority that one of the Harlingen women has sworn to bring home the trophy next year. Here's hoping.

Miss Jerry Chastain entertained her club at a dinner Friday, May 17th. On Monday, Mrs. Hill Cocke had dinner for 14 in the Cabana. The chamber of commerce had a directors meeting in the Green room at the Madison also on Monday. The PTA had a meeting in one of the air-conditioned meeting rooms at the Madison Hotel on Friday, May 24. Miss Jackson planned a luncheon for the Gemma Si Sorority, in the Cabana on Saturday.

The Cabana is sporting a number of beautiful new tables, covered with plate glass mirrors. You know that corner booth that you had so much trouble getting into, on account of the table being too large? Well, you should see the cute new table now reposing in that corner. Just the right size.

J. L. Head's location is finished and looks mighty fine indeed. The Madison will sport fine new office and store spaces and we understand there are a couple left, yet to be rented, but they are going fast.

Larry, of the Arizonians, appearing nightly in the Cabana, played a dirty trick on Carl, also of the Arizonians. While Carl was out one evening, Larry soaped Carl's fiddle strings and when Carl started to swing out on a particular hot number, he sawed away and no sound came forth. It had the whole audience in stitches for a full 10 minutes and Carl hasn't gotten over it yet.

Bill LaFon, Jr., son of the manager of the Cortez Hotel and himself a fine hotel man, from Nogales, Arizona, was a visitor in the Cabana last Saturday night. Bill drives a very classy looking Cord automobile that looks like a fire wagon. "Cattle on the highway don't bother me," says Bill. "I just drive under them."

There's a certain young man who frequents the Cabana who has made various and sundry attempts to make a date with a certain young lady who frequents the Cabana, but each time has been crudely stood-up. This certain young man is definitely fed up and has lost much faith in womanhood. Too bad for the certain young lady.

The new Donna Coffee Shop is going to be most attractive indeed. And its the only air-conditioned coffee shop in Donna.

The Arizonians, popular harmony trio appearing daily in the Cabana, have worked up a college song medley. They'd like to play your favorite. Come in and hum it out for them and they'll learn it pronto.—Adv.

Leave For Ohio

LA FERIA—Mrs. W. C. Beesley and daughter, Miss Doris, left during the weekend for Delaware, Ohio where they will spend the summer months with Mrs. Beesley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hills. Accompanying them as far as Memphis, Tenn., are Mrs. R. P. Roach and children, Russell Jr., and Madge who will visit Mrs. Roach's parents there for several weeks.

Calendar

BROWNSVILLE

MONDAY

B. P. W. club at the home of Mrs. Wilma Ogan before picnic supper and annual business meeting at the home of Mrs. Jacquelyn Ridley at 7 p. m.

Concert by a double male quartet from San Benito at the First Methodist church at 8 p. m.

TUESDAY

Luncheon for the Junior Service League at 12:30 p. m. at Landrum's.

WEDNESDAY

Penny Supper at the Central Christian church.

THURSDAY

Friendly Hour Study club with Mrs. O. C. Brown.

Mexican luncheon by the Alpha Study club at 12:30 p. m. at Landrum's.

FRIDAY

Public installation rites for Hope Chapter 124, OES, at 8 p. m. at the Masonic Temple.

Piano recital by Miss Betty Jean McMinn at the studio, 508 Elizabeth street, at 8 p. m.

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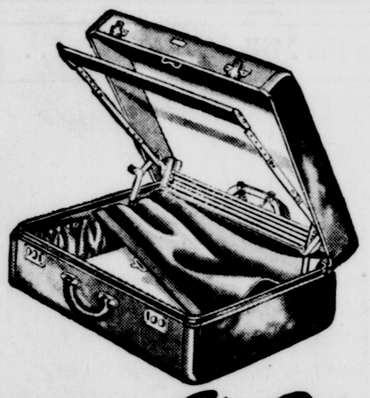

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Miss Cisneros Honoree For Supper

Miss Bertha Margarita (Berita) Cisneros, one of the attractive high school graduates of Villa Maria of the Incarnate Word was honored by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Cisneros of Brownsville at a dinner this week. The dinner was attended by Miss Cisneros' classmates. (A. Rogers Photo)

O. E. S. Heads Are Elected In La Feria

LA FERIA—Election of officers featured the meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star held this week. Named to office were:

Miss Anna D. Harpst, worthy matron; Richard Swope, worthy patron; Mrs. Fay Jones, associate matron; Elmer Jones, associate patron; Miss Lila Dyer, conductress; Mrs. Jeanette Roach, associate conductress; Miss Elberta Wiley, secretary; Mrs Pearl Moet, treasurer.

Installation rites and program will be held Friday evening, May 31 with Mrs. J. L. McNail as installing officer.

Miss Elberta Wiley, retiring worthy matron, presented her corps of officers with lovely gifts as the meeting closed.

Students Give Piano Recital

McALLEN — An entertaining piano ensemble program was given last week by Miss Eva Ellen Miller's pupils at her studio decorated for the occasion with quantities of flowers.

The girls taking part on the program were attractive in the long, pastel-toned evening dresses. A representative group of parents comprised the audience.

Featuring the program was group work on three pianos with between two and seven students playing each number.

Participating with Ruth Hendricks, Kathryn Aaron, Irene Elmore, Beverly Chambers, Betty Lee Polk, John Duby, Carl Albers, Marilyn Crawford, Dolors Albers, Lois Jean Kuhn, Cynthia Little Barbara Knops, Betty Elaine Berman, Norma Lee Westerman, Kathryn Ann Bormann, Eunice Elser, Harriet Parks, Vivian Lawrence.

Robert Kier, Betty Jean Edelstein, Shirley Chambers, Mary Lou Barnes, all of McAllen; Shelly Conquest, Mildred Da eron and Glenn Fox of Pharr; Shirley Reichert and Barbara Cramer of San Juan; and Louise Mettlach of Edinburg.

A cash award for faithfulness at practice was given Eunice Elser with Kathryn Ann Bormann, Shelly Conquest and Eunice Elser winning pins on their notebooks.

To climax the entertainment all the students were guests Thursday afternoon at a swimming party and picnic at Cascade pool. About 30 attended.

Seven Named Honor Guests

EDINBURG—Miss Charlotte Tinkler was hostess to a "vagabond tray" breakfast Friday morning honoring the high school graduates of the Theta Gamma Gamma Sorority. The honorees were Miss Dorothy Gohman, Sonora Bryan, Ruthie Stephens, Bernice Douglass, Helen West, Billie Murphy and Virginia Clark.

The breakfast was served buffet style, each guest and honoree was given a tray made of glazed paper with varied-color gingham cloths and matching napkins set with colorful pottery. Under a large shade tree in the yard was a table centered by a pineapple in a bed of olives surrounded with glasses of fruit juice in a tray of crushed ice.

The guests were all attired in colorful playsuits and slacks. Present were the honorees, Misses Joyce Post, Marion Davis, Izora Tinkler, Billie Jeane Roberts, Helen Frances Ramsour, Jacqueline Powell, Margaret Statham, Helen Ringland, Billie Kyle, Jackie Murphey, Jane Heanre, Gwendolyn Gohman, Barbara Baldridge, Dorothy Ann Casberg and the hostess.

World Affairs Told In Book Presented By Guest Speaker

WESLACO—Mrs. T. W. Glass was hostess to the Weslaco Woman's Study club Tuesday at her home, with Mrs. Phil Dixon presiding.

Mrs. W. J. Bach, program leader for the afternoon, introduced as the guest speaker, Rev. Archie Reed who gave a review of the book, "Revolution of Mhiliom" by Rauchnigg.

A social hour followed with delicious refreshment course served.

McAllen O.E.S. Leaders Honored With Banquet

McALLEN—Feting Mrs. George Edwards, worthy matron of the McAllen chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, was a party given for chapter officials Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Ammon Bradshaw.

The chapter will elect new officers Monday night at the regular meeting at the Masonic Temple.

The entertainment was a covered dish supper after which guests embroidered blocks for a "friendship" quilt to be presented the outgoing matron.

Quantities of roses decorated the house with beauty and were used effectively to adorn the long table at which dinner was served.

Present were Mrs. Lula Germane, Mrs. Ora Lee Lovell, Mrs. Mary Bazar, Mrs. Georgia Mathis, Mrs. Anna Clark McCray, Mrs. Marion Burris, Mrs. Jewell Edwards, Mrs. Ilo Laycock, Mrs. Maybelle Smitham, Mrs. Elizabeth Zachman, Mrs. Velma Thursby, Miss Nora Wilmer, Mrs. Ruie Kelly and Mrs. Bradshaw.

Garden Party In Mission Is Delightful

MISSION—One of the most beautiful gardens in the Upper Valley provided the setting for a charming hospitality Tuesday afternoon when the Mission Garden Club members entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles Volz with their annual garden party. Approximately 200 guests called.

In the receiving line were Mesdames Volz, A. R. Schuelke, Joe N. Summers, Sam Bennett, Katie Frazier, M. W. Boger, John Brannan, and C. B. Williams. Mrs. A. L. Goble presided at the guest register and Mrs. C. O. Papke directed junior club members who conducted the guests through the gardens.

Mrs. A. F. Volz introduced a program of music and readings during the afternoon.

A punch bowl was set in garden wheelbarrow and surrounded by pink flowers and fern, when the guests were served refreshments underneath the shady trees. Members of the junior unit served the punch and passed baskets of cookies.

Joost Pupils Give Recital

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. David Joost presented her pupils in voice, dramatics and piano in a recital in the parlors of the First Baptist church Thursday evening.

Setting for the event was "Milday's Hat Shot," where a poise and personality style show was staged by Doris Harlin, Elizabeth Brown, Janice McKay, Betty McMahon, Shirley McInnis, Beverly Elliott, Miss Stella Dickason; readings, Elizabeth Brown and Janice McKay; voice, Beverly Elliott, Doris Harlan; piano, Betty McMahon.

Piano solos, duets, trios and quartets, Elizabeth Reed, Lily Ethel Denman, Betty Lane Jarratt, Corrine Russell, Patsy Faulk, and Bobbie Slaughter; piano, Audrey Barnes, and Margaret Denman.

Pins were awarded Audrey Barnes, Patsy Faulk and Elizabeth Brown. Betty Lane Jarratt received a gift for the most outstanding "studio" manner.

Younger Set Guests For Wiener Roast

LOS FRESNOS — Mrs. Horace Watson entertained members of the younger set with a wiener roast at her home. Indoor games were played later in rooms with gay zinnias.

Included in the jolly affair were David and Grover Weikel, Frank Greer, Evelon Watson, Joan Pederson, Ethelyn Williams, Jerald Bland, Jimmy and Helen Grabowski, Wanda Lee Pederson, Roger Williams, Geraldine Watson, Grover Greer, Anna May and Patsy Sanders, Evelyn Warren, Billy Joyce Pederson, Nathalee Worlow, Peggy Ann Grunwald and the hostess.

Mrs. Robison Leaves

BROWNSVILLE — Departing Tuesday by motor will be Mrs. C. L. Robison and her young son Charles Barnett, and Mrs. Jack Mohle, and young daughter, Louise.

Mrs. Robison will visit in Clarksville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Jones, and will be joined there at the end of two weeks by Mrs. Gertrude Holcomb who will go with her to Miami, Florida, where the Robisons have been transferred.

Mrs. Mohle will visit her mother, Mrs. R. C. Biggerstaff, in Dallas.

Short Course Plans Aired

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. G. J. Weikel was hostess to the Home Demonstration Club at her home Thursday which was graced by spring flowers. Mrs. W. C. Cain, president, was in charge of the meeting when Mrs. Emmett Work was nominated to attend a council picnic in Harlingen at which time delegates for the A. and M. Short Course trip will selected. Plans were made for a coffee to be held at the home of Mrs. C. Cilley on Friday, May 31, from 9 to 10 a. m. The purpose of the coffee is to raise funds for the Short Course trip.

Miss Lu Elsie Nagel gave a demonstration on making wall paper cleaner, floor wax, and floor stain. She also demonstrated methods of removing ordinary stains.

Next meeting will be June 27 at the home of Mrs. Francis Schmidt when each member is to bring a sample of yeast bread or variations to the meeting.

Sister Named Honor Guest

MISSION—Mrs. Dick Banks of Robstown, a Mission visitor this week, entertained Tuesday with a luncheon at the Rancho Grande in McAllen, to honor her sister, Miss Jean Taylor, a 1940 graduate of Mission high school. A spanish theme characterized the luncheon.

Mrs. Joe Nosbisch was named honoree for a shower Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Anton Shafer entertained at her home. Gifts for the honoree's twin babies, Joseph and Suzanne, 10- days old, were presented by the guests.

Dorothy and Bill Gray were presented in a piano recital Monday evening at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray, by their instructor, Mrs. Dale H. Geeslin. Friends of the young artists were invited guests for the occasion.

Seniors Honored By Breakfast Event

ALAMO—The members of the Responsive Chord Sunday school class of the Alamo Community church school, were guests for breakfast Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. J. C. McCreary. A delicious two course breakfast was served from lace-covered tables, centered with bowls of red and white flowers.

Guests of honor were the high school graduates in the class including Misses Glen Mannering, Mary Louise Kastler, Lois Cowley, Geraldine Davis, Patty Toothaker, Janette VanDenbark, Virginia Tanner and Florence Hahn. Other class members attending were Misses Viola Anderson, Janet Wendell, Wilma Muir, Rosemary Drennan, Betty Jo Watts, Janet Toothaker and Florence Dockter.

Large Event Honors Pair In Willacy

RAYMONDVILLE — A large affair honoring Supt. and Mrs. M. L. Deviney, who are leaving soon for Daisetta, was the covered dish supper held in the recreation room of the Methodist church under the sponsorship of the choir which Mrs. Deviney has directed for several years.

Mrs. Deviney was presented with a shoulder corsage of centeauri and also received as a gift from the choir a cocktail and salad set of crystal.

Harry W. Cook, acting as Kay Kayser, conducted an entertaining musical program.

Several hundred friends of the couple were guests.

New officers elected for the Raymondville chapter of Order of Eastern Star at their meeting Monday evening were Mrs. Glenn Flinn, worthy matron; J. G. Caudle, worthy patron; Mrs. J. R. Manning, associate worthy matron; W. H. Wahler, associate worthy patron; Mrs. Harvey Geis, secretary; Mrs. Fred Parker, treasurer; Mrs. William Allison, conductress, and Mrs. E. M. Tomme, assistant conductress.

On Friday evening, May 31, there will be a public installation in the Masonic hall.

The Tuesday Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. C. A. Edgerton with Miss Emma Fambrough as joint hostess. James Strawn, county attorney, discussed "Parliamentary Law."

Mrs. E. F. Koerlin was elected delegate to the short course at A. and M. in July.

The Presbyterian Vacation church school will be held in the Presbyterian church beginning Monday morning, June 3, through Sunday evening, June 16.

Each day from 8:30 until 11:30 a. m. a well-rounded program will be presented.

Honored By Class

ALAMO — Mrs. Jennie Jounkin was honored by her Sunday School Class before her departure for the north, on Wednesday afternoon with a party and shower at the Community Church. There were thirty eight friends present, refreshments were served.

Brownsville BPW Slates Annual Meeting, Picnic

BROWNSVILLE—Annual meeting of the Business and Professional Women's club will be in the form of a picnic supper Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Jacquelyn Ridley.

Members of the club will gather first at the home of Mrs. Wilma Ogan, and go in a body to the Ridley home in the country.

At this session all officers and committee heads will make the annual reports.

FROM BAY CITY

RIO GRANDE CITY—Mr. and Mrs. Kirkman of Bay City arrived Wednesday to be the guests for a few days of their cousin, C. D. Mosteller and Mrs. Mosteller.

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Officers Inducted By Civic Club

BROWNSVILLE — New officers were installed at the final meeting of the Victoria Heights Civic club when members gathered for a May breakfast at Landrum's.

Centering the table were roses and sweetpeas, and favors were tiny woven May baskets filled with colorful blossoms.

Mrs. R. A. Hightower installed the officers, inducting each with an original verse in which she outlined the officers' duties. Officers are Mrs. R. L. Sledge, president; Mrs. A. E. Kraut, re-elected vice president; and Mrs. John Dutro, re-elected secretary.

Mrs. Gerald E. Lauver, retiring president, presented gifts to her retiring officers Mrs. Dutro and Mrs. Kraut, and Mrs. Dutro made the presentation of a gift from the club to Mrs. Lauver.

In a final address as president, Mrs. Lauver outlined the achievements of the club, dwelling mainly upon the park and the tennis courts.

Guests included Mrs. C. G. Chambers of Sebastian, Mrs. J. D. Dobson, Mrs. R. P. Gilmore, Mrs. R. A. Hightower, and Mrs. Pearl Forister of Cuero. Members attending were Mesdames Royce Russell, N. B. Bradford, J. B Saylor, J. M. Bryant, W. F. MacDonald, Ray Phipps, G. E. Lauver, R. L. Sledge, A. E. Kraut, John Dutro, Kent Crowe, and Harry Crowe, and Miss Oma Darling.

The yearbook committee appointed for next year includes Mrs. Kent Crow, chairman, and Mrs. Ford Lockett and Mrs. John Dutro.

Vacation School Opens In La Feria

LA FERIA — A vacation Bible school will open Monday at the Presbyterian church and continue for two weeks. Sessions will open at 8:30 a. m. and continue for two and a half hours daily.

Children between four and 15 are invited to enroll by the Rev. Fred Hopkins, pastor. Mrs. J. G. Cochrane will be general superintendent.

Assisting in the different departments are Miss Margaret Ellen Giles, Mrs. J. D. Wemple, Mrs. L. M. Burchfield, Miss Gwendolyn Anderson, Mrs. C. J. Hoverson, Mrs. Roy Stephenson, Mrs. R. C. Ashworth, Misses Orlea Carnicom, Viola Yarbrough, Bernice Foust.

GUESTS OF DAUGHTER

LA FERIA—Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sigler are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Young, and family, in Greenwood, Miss., for several weeks.

Tip-Toppers Will Aid In Milk Fund Campaign

McALLEN—Marking their first venture into civic work, the members of the Tip-Top Club will assist the Junior Service League of McAllen with the milk fund currently under way in the city.

The Tip-Toppers decided to assist at a meeting last week. Bottles have been placed in 10 local food and drug stores. All proceeds will be used to purchase milk for undernourished children who are brought to the McAllen Child's Clinic for treatment.

Membership of the Tip-Top Club includes: Hilda Chaleff, Kathleen Wharton, Doris Vines, Mary Jeanette Bonneau, Marjorie Isenberg, Doris Jolly, Norma Lee Westerman, Mary Frances Lundy, Shirley Chambers and Betty Jean Edelstein.

The club is composed of McAllen Senior High School girls and was organized as a social unit during the past spring season.

Calendar

McALLEN

MONDAY

Mrs. W. J. Carter will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

12:30 p.m.—The Rio Grande Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

8:00 p.m.—Officers will be elected at the regular meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star at the Masonic Temple.

8:00 p.m.—Katherine O'Neall will be hostess to the Gamma chapter of the Nu Phi Mu sorority.

TUESDAY

8:00 p.m.—The Beta chapter of the Nu Phi Mu sorority will meet at the home of Miss Gwendolyn Crawford.

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Si Casady will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

FRIDAY

Miss Sara Chidlow will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

SATURDAY

The Beta Sigma Phi sorority will conduct a rummage sale on Guerra street.

HARLINGEN

MONDAY

3:30 p.m. Afflatus Club meets at Woman's Building for closing program of the year.

TUESDAY

3 p.m. Baptist W.M.S. meets at the church.

3 p.m. Sunbeam band meets at the church.

3 p.m. Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service meets at the church.

THURSDAY

10 a.m. Old and new officers Harlingen Rainbow Assembly meet at the Masonic Hall for practice.

8 p.m. Harlingen Assembly, Order of the Rainbow, meets at the Masonic Hall for installation of new officers.

TO MINNESOTA

ALAMO—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denzer left Wednesday for St. Paul, Minnesota, to accompany his mother, Mrs. Lucy Denzer, to her home near there. They will stop at other points en route, including Kansas City and Austin, Texas, where Mr. Denzer will attend an insurance convention in June.

Party Given In Lyford

LYFORD—Mrs. J. J. Dudensing was honored Wednesday afternoon with a shower given by Mrs. R. T. Dudensing. Decorations were bowls of varigated zinnias and Indian paint brush.

Games and contests featured the entertainment. The honoree's fortune was read and gifts presented at the close of the prophecy in a basket of pink and blue.

A dessert course was served to Mesdames C. W. Freeman, Schultz, D. C. Cherrington, Henry Gilbert, Louise Cherrington, Howard Sammons, W. B. Ball, James Pinson, O. L. Harris, Bill Ball, W. A. Cooley, C. O. Carter, G. W. Wilbur, Sallie Walker, A. J. Cox, Lee Cherrington, Fred Gerdes, Emil Spees, John Jurcak, Dave Woods, R. T. Dudensing, J. J. Dudensing, and Misses Evelyn Dudensing, Anne Mae Dudensing, Dorothy Gilbert, and Selma Schultze.

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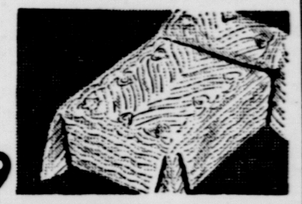

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Valley Proven Oil Fields Break Long Standing Records During Week

Eight New Wells Finished During Week In This Area

Rincon Field Is Active As Davis Group Is Drilling Many Wells

McALLEN—Lower Rio Grande Valley proven oil fields broke records of several years' standing when they reported completion of eight oil wells and one gasser and had nearly a dozen other wells with productive sands already cored or pipe set preparatory to production tests.

Rincon field in eastern Starr county, being developed by W. R. Davis and Company of Houston and New York, completed three new wells and had a half dozen others drilling or ready to set pipe and three more locations rigging up. A total of seven rigs are running. Sun Oil Company had one new well in the Sun field and two more with pipe set. Humble completed two producers in the Colorado field and had another waiting on cement, while a new outpost gasser was completed 1,900 feet northwest of production in the same area. Humble also had a new well in the Kelsey field with a second test waiting on cement. Royal Oil and Gas Company of Houston had another new producer at Sullivan City and a second well drilling.

Development Is Speeded

Development in the Rincon field was setting a new pace for oil field activity in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. The three producers were as follows:

Davis No. A-1 Dee Davenport, a new southwest extension, 1,320 feet west of production, Survey 944, gauged 275 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 450 pounds tubing working pressure and 550 pounds closed-in casing pressure through casing perforations (80 shots) at 3,770-9 feet, an important shallow sand for the area. Casing was set on bottom at 4,383 feet.

Davis No. A-2 Dee Davenport, Survey 944, spudded and was drilling past 1,000 feet.

The new wells were completed on the north edge of the producing area. Davis No. A-4 Slick Estate, Survey 231, gun-perforated casing at 4,192-4,205 feet with 40 shots and gauged 270 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 400 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in casing pressure. Casing was set on bottom at 4,333 feet.

Hole Is Bottomed

Davis No. A-5 Slick Estate, Survey 231, gauged 256 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke through casing perforations (30 shots) at 4,192-4,210 feet with tubing working pressure of 700 pounds and closed-in casing pressure of 865 pounds. The hole was bottomed at 4,249 feet, where 7-inch casing was cemented.

Davis No. A-7 Slick Estate, Survey 231, another north edge well, recovered 720 feet of oil with 105 pounds pressure on 17-minute drill stem test of sand at 4,208-39 feet and cemented 7-inch o.d. oil string on bottom at 4,337 feet.

Davis No. A-8 Slick Estate, Survey 231, on the north edge of the field, was coring past 3,950 feet after it flowed oil and gas from sand at 3,626-47 feet on 17-minute drill stem test.

A new northern outpost, Davis No. A-9 Slick Estate, Survey 231, 660 feet north of all present production, spudded and was drilling past 1,000 feet.

Good Oil Show Made

On the west edge of the present producing area, Davis No. B-25 Slick Estate, Survey 266, made a good oil show on 17-minute drill stem test of sand at 3,788-95 feet and was making a similar test of the field's excellent 4,000-foot sand at 4,030-60 feet.

The field's new northeast outpost, Davis No. B-27 Slick Estate, Survey 232, 660 feet northeast of production, was making hole below 3,100 feet.

Locations have been staked for Davis No. A-10 Slick Estate in Survey 231 and for the Nos. B-28 Slick, B-29 Slick and B-30 Slick, all in Survey 266.

Considerable activity was also under way in the Sun field in northeastern Starr, where Humble Oil and Refining Company was testing a new sand in the north part of the field. Sun had another new well in the tanks was making production tests on two others and had two new wells spudding.

190 Barrels Gauged

Sun No. 7 Geo. H. Speer, Survey 238, an inside location, gauged 190 barrels daily on 7-16 inch tubing choke through casing perforations (55 shots) at 4,903-11 feet with 350 pounds tubing working pressure and 750 pounds closed-in casing pressure.

Sun No. B-2 Speer-State, Survey 236, on the west edge of the field, was ready for production test through casing perforations in sand at 4,642-51 feet, where drill stem test recovered 250 feet of oil. Casing had been cemented on bottom at 5,000 feet.

Another new inside well, Sun's No. 8-A, Olivares, Survey 239, had closed original casing perforations at 4,615-28 feet after the well made considerable gas and was re-perforating for another test.

Sun No. 9 Olivares, Survey 239, and No. 8 Geo. Speer, Survey 238, both inside locations, were spudding.

Two New Oilers Seen

In the northwest part of the field but south of outpost production, Humble No. 8 N. R. Montalvo, 467 feet out of the northeast corner of the north 492 acres of Survey 237, cored a new sand for the area at 4,130-37 feet and was running drill stem test.

Two new oilers and a northwest outpost gasser featured operations in the Colorado field in western Jim Hogg county.

Humble's No. 10 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, in the northeast part of the field, cored the field sand at 3,059-65 feet and cemented casing at 3,057 feet. The well gauged 212 barrels daily on 3-16 inch tubing choke with 200 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed in casing pressure.

In the same part of the field, Humble'c No. 11 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, found the sand at 3,049-60 feet, bottomed the hole at 3,061 feet and cemented 5½-inch o.d. casing at 3,051 feet. On production test, the well made 241 barrels daily on 3-16 inch tubing choke with 50 pounds tubing working pressure and 600 pounds closed-in casing pressure.

Gas Production Proven

South of the recent completions and on the east edge of the field, Humble's No. 13 Atwood Heirs, in the northwest corner of Survey 36, cored the field sand at 3,081-88 feet, where the well was bottomed, and cemented 5½-inch o.d. casing at 3,078 feet for production test.

Gas production was proven at the northwestern extremity of the field, 1,900 feet beyond production, where Keith M. Huber et al's No. 1 F. G. Trevino, Survey 37, was completed as a small gasser in sand at 2,923-33 feet (corrected) after the well was bottomed at 2,954 feet. When the well came in, it made practically dry gas on quarter-inch tubing choke with 925 pounds tubing working pressure and 1,025 pounds closed-in casing pressure.

One new producer was completed in the Starr county extension of the Kelsey field and another new well was waiting on cement before making production test.

Humble No. 55 J. C. McGill, about 8,900 feet southeast of discovery, gauged 146 barrels daily on 9-64 inch tubing choke with 700 pounds tubing working pressure and 800 pounds closed-in casing pressure.

Well Is Completed

Humble's No. 54 J. C. McGill, also in Starr county and 7,700 feet southeast of the discovery well, cored the field sand at 4,710-23 feet and cemented 5½ inch o.d. oil string at 4,716 feet. Bottom of the hole was in shale at 4,725 feet.

In the Sullivan City field in western Hidalgo county, Royal Oil and Gas Company, A-2 V. G. Chapa, Tract 236, Portion 39, Reynosa Jurisdiction, was completed as an oil well, but details were not made available. Bottom of the hole was reported to be 4,121 feet, with 5½-inch o.d. casing cemented at that depth.

Royal also had spudded the No. B-1 V. G. Chapa, 330 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of the northwest 10 acres of Tract 239, Por. 40, Reynosa Jurisdiction.

WIDCATTING IN VALLEY HITS NEW PEAK OF INTEREST

McALLEN — Wildcatting in the Lower Rio Grande Valley oil area reached another interesting point Saturday as one of the section's deepest wells continued drilling and production tests were under way in three deep holes.

In southeastern Cameron county, Pure Oil Company No. 1 Garcia Land and Cattle Company, six miles south of Port Isabel, was drilling in shale around 9,800 feet. A gas show was reported in sand at 9,392-9,417 feet.

In central Hidalgo County, two more production tests had been completed in deep sands in Gulf States Oil Co. No. 2 Josefa Cardenas, Share 156, San Salvador del Tule Grant. Through casing perforations (20 shots) at 7,730-45 feet, the well made an estimated 3,800,000 cubic feet of dry gas daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with tubing working pressure of 3,000 pounds and casing working pressure of 3,350 pounds. Pressure rose to 3,550 pounds with the well closed-in. A higher sand was also tested, the well making an estimated 3,500,000 cubic feet of dry gas, with neither distillate nor water, daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 2,675 pounds tubing working pressure and 3,000 pounds closed-in casing pressure. Operators squeezed all perforations and prepared to complete the well in the regular 7,900-foot sand in which the San Salvador field discovery was finaled.

Production Under Way

In northeastern Starr County, five miles north of the Sun field and two miles west of southernmost production in the Kelsey field, Sun Oil Company No. 1 Encarnacion Rodriguez, northwest part of Santa Teresa Grant, has settled down to steady production from a new deep sand. The well is making about 12 to 15 barrels of distillate and a little wash water daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke with 1,700 pounds closed-in casing pressure and 1,800 pounds tubing working pressure through casing perforations at 6,420-27 feet. It is also making an estimated 600,000 cubic feet of gas daily.

Several miles west and a little south of the Sun field in central Starr, Sun No. 1 W. G. Lehr, Survey 513, was waiting on cement prior to production tests. The well was bottomed at 5,440 feet and 5 1-2-inch o. d. oil string was cemented at 4,430 feet. Sands reported around 4,400 and 4,100 feet were due to be tested.

One and a half miles south of the No. 1 Lehr, Sun No. 1 Claude King was ready to spud on a deep test in Survey 511.

Several miles southeast of the Barbacoas field in south central Starr, George R. Boyle et al's No. 1 E. B. Carruth et al, Share 1-B Poortions 91-92, Camargo Jurisdiction, was drilling past 3,100 feet on a 4,500-foot contract. Operators were looking for their first shows around 4,000 feet, it was understood.

Magnolia Petroleum Company was drilling around 5,000 feet on its No. 3 F. B. Guerra, near the center of Share 25-B, Santa Cruz Grant, in northeastern Starr. It is roughly half-way between the La Reforma distillate discovery well and the Magnolia No. 2 Guerra, another high-pressure gas-distillate well located in the southwest corner of Share 25-B.

CITRUS UNIT GETS CHECKS

Edinburg Averages $8.70 For Marsh

EDINBURG — Members of the Edinburg Citrus Association were made happy at their annual banquet this week at the Edinburg Hotel when they received final checks for their fruit, were rebated their revolving fund assessments for the 1935-36 season and heard that packing costs had been held to 42.25 cents per box in spite of a smaller volume handled because of the freeze.

Graham Killough, manager, reported that season averages on various types of fruit were as follows to members: Marsh Seedless $8.70 per ton, March pink $22.50, Foster pink $14, Valencia oranges $22.10, pineapple oranges $17, Hamlin oranges $23, naval oranges $27.20 The unit handled 404,000 packed boxes of fruit and 11,266 tons of juice fruit.

Growers are required to pay 10 cents a box into revolving reserve fund and members of the Edinburg association have now been rebated all assessments paid in for the first three seasons.

The association will hold its annual election of officers at a meeting to be held June 18. Dr. C. J Hamme is president.

HOME FROM VISIT

LA FERIA—Mrs. W. T. Corre has returned after a visit of several weeks in Paducah, Ky., and Little Rock, Ark.

Loading Liferaft For U. S. Refuge Ship

This big life raft is being brought aboard the U. S. Liner President Roosevelt just before leaving New York for a trip to Galway, Ireland, to bring home American war refugees. Notice of the peaceful mission had been given to warring European nations.

Tri-County Breeding Unit Will Be Formed In Valley

Expansion Of Artificial Breeding Work Decided On At Harlingen Meet

HARLINGEN—Formation of a tri-county breeding association was decided upon at an enthusiastic meeting of Valley dairy and beef men here Friday night to expand the artificial breeding program now being conducted by the Cameron County Breeders Association.

The new Valley-wide organization would purchase the Jersey bull, Dairylike Lad Roy, from the Cameron county association and proceed with the artificial insemination practice now being carried on by the county group.

Purchase of another dairy bull to supplement the service from Dairylike Lad Roy, has been investigated and if there is sufficient demand, Milking Shorthorn, Hereford and Brahma bulls will be added.

Directors of the new Valley-wide organization from Hidalgo county were nominated. They were Jack Younkin of Edinburg, Jesse L. Prater of Edcouch and A. M. Thompson of Donna. Cameron county directors are J. C. Stuesser of Brownsville, R. M. King of Primera and M. B. Finley of San Benito. The Willacy county nominating committee deferred action.

Program Is Explained

J. W. Evans of Weslaco, district farm supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, explained the program and stated that of the 600 members necessary for successful conduct of the artificial breeding program, his organization would guarantee at least 300. The membership fee is $10 and many new members took out stock at the meeting here.

Evans said that several banks and chambers of commerce had been contacted and had indicated their willingness to underwrite the program.

Cities Back Project

M. B. Finley, an officer of the Cameron county Breeders Association, presided over the meeting at the Central Ward School.

Mayor Hugh Ramsey said that the City of Harlingen and civic bodies here would back the type program outlined. Managers Carl Blasig, L. F. Boling and Worth Heffner of the Mercedes, Donna and Harlingen chambers of commerce invited the new organization to select their city as headquarters.

Aircraft Ordered By Allied Buyers

NEW YORK —(AP)— The Anglo-French Purchasing Board said Friday that orders for $ 00,000,000 of additional aircraft and equipment had been placed with American manufacturers in the last 10 days raising to $820,000,000 the value of aircraft and accessories ordered to date.

BIBLE CLASS MEETS

LOS FRESNOS—The Ladies Bible Class met at the Church of Christ Tuesday at which time the subject for discussion was "Jesus' Arrival in Galilee." The discussion of "Jesus Galilean Ministry" will be carried further at the next meeting on Tuesday, May 28.

NEW COLLEGE GROUP LISTED

51 Win Honor Rating At Edinburg

EDINBURG— Fifty-one students were listed on Edinburg Junior college's second semester honor roll Saturday by Miss Rigmore Leffland, registrar.

McAllen and Edinburg dominated the roll with 13 each. A total of 15 towns had honor roll students.

Listed were: Orin Anderson, Donna; Maria Barrera, Edinburg; Kenneth Beane, Edinburg; Gordon Bushey, Mission; Radie Culpepper, Edcouch; Marion Davis, Edinburg; Chesna Mae Dillinger, Edinburg; Lois Falk, Edinburg; Ralph Fitzgerald, Weslaco; Don Fleuriet, Donna; Jewel Folmar, Edinburg; Jane Carey Fristoe, McAllen; Frank Glendenning, McAllen; Edith Billman, Mission; Marjorie Bonner, Edinburg.

Ralph Guenther, Pharr, Homer Hart, Edinburg; Harvey Henderson, McAllen; Doris Hilton, McAllen; Bill Holmes, McAllen; Stuart Jackson, Rio Grande City; Marilou Jewett, Mission; Ella Mae Kammerer, Weslaco; Rubin Kappler, McAllen; Leonard Larson, McAllen; Richard Lewis, Pharr; Ruth Linnard, McAllen; Mildred McHenry, Edinburg; Anna Moseson, Lyford; William Motsch, Pharr.

M. E. O'Neill, San Juan; Martha Peddicord, Weslaco; Vivian Peterson, McAllen; John Phillips, Pharr; Pauline Phillips, Pharr; Dorothy Reynolds, McAllen; Mary Robertson, Olden; Donald Ross, Edinburg; Robert Scott, Santa Rosa; Charles Settles, Mercedes; Blucher Smith, Edinburg; Nona Bess Smith, Edinburg; Nova Mae Smith, McAllen; Virgil Smith, McAllen.

Julia Solis, Mercedes; Lorraine Steffens, Pharr; Roger Stotler, Alamo; Mary Lou Thornton, McAllen; Lydia Trevino, Mercedes; Rovert Vaucher, Sharyland and Jean White, Edinburg.

GUESTS IN MISSION

MISSION—Mrs. Paul D. Hanna and sons, Paul Dean and James of Falfurrias are in Mission for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Gibbs and other old friends. They will be joined Tuesday by Rev. Hanna and the family will continue their visit for several days next week.

SURETY GROUP SELECTS HEAD

Harlingen Man Made President

McALLEN — Harry Johnson of Harlingen was re-elected president of the Valley Life Underwriter's Association during a luncheon held at the Casa de Palmas Hotel here Friday.

Other officers selected were Carl La Duke, Weslaco, vice president; George Allen, Harlingen, secretary and treasurer; O. E. Anglin, J. O. Harris, C. S. Johnson, Harlingen; Sam Weems, Weslaco and A. D. Leavell, McAllen, directors.

Committee appointments by Johnson were as follows:

Membership committee, George Ely, McAllen, chairman; Warren Davis, McAllen; Roy Conway, Mission; publicity committee, Mrs. Ruby Cox, Mrs. T. W. Mahone, McAllen; Mrs. Marie Grapperhaus, Harlingen.

I. A. Patton of McAllen spoke on "War Clauses in Life Insurance and How the War Might Influence Life Underwriting."

Talks Given

Two Michigan Cities Hear Woman

McALLEN—Mrs. Paul T. Vickers of McAllen, wife of the chamber of commerce manager, made two addresses in Michigan the past week on travel in the Rio Grande Valley and Mexico.

She spoke to the safety council and Rotary Club of Lansing, Mich., Friday noon and to a Methodist Church congregation at Detroit last Tuesday.

Mrs. Vickers also distributed a large amount of McAllen and Valley literature in the two cities, she wrote her husband. She said many persons told her they would come to the Valley next winter instead of going to Florida.

Bible School Will Open At McAllen

McALLEN — Beginning Monday and continuing for three weeks, Rev. John G. Elser, pastor of the McAllen Lutheran Church, will conduct a daily Bible school from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

The course will include Bible stories, Bible reading, church history, and memorizing of Bible passages and well known hymns. The course is free to children in the community of grammar school age.

Rev. Elser will assist Rev. E. Wolf of Harlingen in installing Rev. Martin Koehneke of Milwaukee, Wisc., as pastor of the Lutheran Church of Raymondville.

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La Feria Meet

Builders Of Airplane Models Convene

MERCEDES—The Valley Model Airplane Club will hold its second meet at La Feria Sunday at 7 a.m., Phillip Atteberry, sponsor and senior advisor announced Saturday.

Mercedes modelers taking part in this Valley-wide organization will be Gene Brown, Jack Green, Tomme Joe Lambertson, Eugene White and Phillip Atteberry.

Schedule of future meets include June 2, Raymondville; June 9, Mercedes; June 16, San Benito; June 23, Brownsville; June 30, McAllen; July 7, open; July 14, San Benito. On the last date a National Aeronautical Association meet will be held. Prizes are offered at each of these exhibitions. All model airplane enthusiasts are urged to attend.

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1939 CHEVROLET MASTER DELUXE COUPE, original and nice as new $595
1938 OLDSMOBILE DELUXE COUPE, looks like new, radio, new white sidewall tires, extra nice $545
1937 PONTIAC "8" TOURING SEDAN, radio, perfect condition and right $395
1937 PLYMOUTH DELUXE SEDAN, one that is extra clean throughout $395
1937 PLYMOUTH COUPE, same as new, original in every way $385
1936 PLYMOUTH SPECIAL DELUXE SEDAN, a 6 wheel job, one of the kind you hear about, but rarely see $345
1936 CHEVROLET COUPE, one you will have to see to appreciate $285
1936 Pontiac Coup, nice $245
1934 Chevrolet Coach, good $175
1934 Chevrolet Coach $165
1932 Ford Model B Coach .....$ 65
1937 Dodge Pick-Up, a good one $295

Browder Motor Company
210 N. Commerce Harlingen Phone 608

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The Fastest and Fairest Dealer In Town

1938 Plymouth Coach $495
1939 Ford Tudor De Luxe $695
1939 Mercury Tudor, Radio $795
1937 Chevrolet Coach, Trunk $388
1936 Chevrolet Coach, Trunk $219

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111 E. Van Buren Harlingen

1. AUTOMOBILES **1. AUTOMOBILES**
1a. Autos for Sale **1a. Autos for Sale**

See These Exceptional Bargains At Our New Used Car Lot at 324 W. Harrison

1938 PLYMOUTH DELUXE COACH, A-1 condition $493
1938 PLYMOUTH ROAD KING COACH, new paint, motor thoroughly reconditioned $463
1936 PLYMOUTH DELUXE SEDAN, an A-1 car $323
1937 FORD "60" TUDOR, look this one over $353
1936 FORD TUDOR, see this one for a bargain $293
1935 FORD COUPE, like a new car, a steal at only $223
1936 FORD DELUXE SEDAN, a one owner car $283
1934 CHRYSLER AIR-FLOW SEDAN, a perfect automobile $213
1936 DODGE DELUXE SEDAN, best buy in the Valley, only $303
1935 DODGE DELUXE COACH, one that is dirt cheap $193

Many Other Cheaper Cars To Choose From

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Select Their Cars From LEHMANS Ample Stock of the Best in Used Automobiles, and Reliable Big Savings in Both Original Cost and Upkeep.

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Look at these! Each one represents a worthwhie opportunity

1939 Mercury 4 Door Sedan. 1939 Chrysler Royal Sedan.
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1938 Chrysler Imperial Sedan 1938 Ford "60" Coupe.
1938 Pontiac Coach. 1937 Packard Coupe.
1937 Packard Sedan. 1937 Dodge Coupe.
1937 Buick "Special" Coupe. 1937 Plymouth Sedan.

Every One Is A Treat To The Eye, and To Ride In Them Is A Real Treat Too!

Inspect Our Special Bargain Group

1936 Plymouth 4-Door Sedan. Good motor. Good transportation $175
1935 Plymouth 4-Door Sedan. Good rubber. Good mechanically $175
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And Many More Of Equal Importance To The Discriminating Buyer.

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Your Packard Dealers
Across from Sears-Roebuck
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One Trial Proves They Are
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1939 Ford Truck

95 H. P. Motor, 2 speed rear axle, new 8:25x20 dual rear tires and new 7:00x20 fronts, this truck is almost new and is an ideal tractor for trailer.

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1938 Ford Pick-Up $395.00
1937 Ford Pick- Up.....$265.00
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1937 Lincoln Zephyr Sedan $395.00

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Right now you are in position to get a real bargain by spending a few cents a day on a late model Used Car that is trouble free . . . Just Phone me, I. R. Jackson, Phone 15

POLK MOTOR COMPANY
619 East Hiway Ave McAllen

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BETTER CARS AT BETTER PRICES

'39 CHRYSLER SEDAN, low mileage, radio, like new .... $500 Discount

1939 Chevrolet Coach, radio low mileage, clean as new $575
1933 Dodge 6 wheel Sedan ready $155
1939 Plymouth Coupe, clean, new tires ... $575
1938 Chevrolet Sedan, radio, new tires ... $495

FERGUSON MOTOR COMPANY
CHRYSLER—PLYMOUTH
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FOR SALE: Studebaker Sedan — 1936. A-1 Condition. Good paint. $275.00. Adams Garage, Mercedes.

1937 FORD TUDOR SEDAN. Will sell for $295.00 or trade for live stock. Or what have you. Border Auto Exchange, 315 W. Harrison, Harlingen.

We Need USED CARS

Our Used Car Stock is too low . . . and we are anxious to make trades on new Plymouths and Chryslers . . . for the best deal see us now.

Brady Motor Co.
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McALLEN

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1938 Studebaker Commander Coupe, like new.
1937 Willys De Luxe Sedan, newish appearance and low mileage.
1937 Chevrolet Master De Luxe sport sedan with radio.
1937 Studebaker Cruising Sedan.
1938 Harley Davidson 45 motor cycle, used but little.
Other good used cars, all priced low for such high quality.

Younkin Motor Co.
724 W. Harrison Harlingen

1i. Trailors For Sale

SEMI-TRAILER for sale. Suitable for light truck. A dandy. Jesse A. May, Box 502, Mercedes.

2. BUSINESS OPPOR.

2a. Business for Sale

FOR LEASE: Fine medium sized cafe. Excellent business. Fully equipped. Or will sell. Box B-160, Star Office, Harlingen.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 18-unit tourist camp. T. C. Turner, Valley View Camp, Donna.

2c. Business Wanted

WILL INVEST MONEY and services in Valley business. Have good car. Morning Star, Box B-159, Harlingen.

4. BUSINESS SERVICES

4a. Beauty Shops

LILY'S BEAUTY SHOP now located 808 Washington street. $1.00 off on any permanent through Thursday ($2.50-$9.00). Phone 216, Brownsville.

PERMANENT WAVES
Regular $5 to $7
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HOLTRY'S COLLEGE OF BEAUTY CULTURE
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4e. Florist. Nurseries

ROSES, 35c dozen. Gladioli, royal ponciana, bougainvillea, hibiscus. Free delivery. Stillwell's Tropical Nursery, telephone 185-J, Brownsville.

4m. Insurance

W. B. CLINT AGENCY, Insurance. 429 12th. Protect yourself now with Fire, Automobile, Windstorm Insurance, Brownsville.

4o. Typewriter Rep..Serv.

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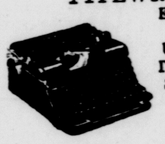

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Harlingen

4. BUSINESS SERVICES

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FURNITURE REPAIRED, refinished. Porch curtains, slip covers. Phone 422. 900 Elizabeth. Port City Tent, Awning Co., Brownsville.

5. PERSONALS

REV. JOSEPH P. MORGAN, spiritual advisor on all business, life, health affairs daily. 247 10th street, San Carlos Apts. Room 12, phone 734, Brownsville.

6. EMPLOYMENT

6a. Help Wanted—Male

TO A $75.00 A WEEK salesman who is now making $35.00 a week: If you are hindered in your employment by lack of cooperation and understanding, we would like to talk to you. We realize the necessity of close relations between employer and employee. Call 1375 Mr. Ferguson, for appointment. Harlingen.

WANT MAN to manage grocery store at Progreso, Texas. Clayton Malone, Progreso. Telephone 6017, Mercedes.

WANT COMBINATION automobile and appliance mechanic. Must be especially experienced on Servel Electrolux refrigerators. Steady job. Bingley Motor Co., San Benito.

WANTED: Experienced shoe salesman, must be capable of buying for and operating family shoe store. Write Box B-156, Star Office, Harlingen.

SPECIAL WORK for married women. Earn to $22 weekly and your own dresses FREE. No canvassing. No investment. Write fully, giving age and dress size. Fashion Frocks, Dept. V-9072, Cincinnati, O.

VALLEY SALESMEN with cars wanted to sell on the weekly payment plan, our nationally known lines of bed spreads, linens, draperies, curtains, silverware, Bibles, and other household necessities. See Mr. Peters, 222 Third street, Mercedes.

6b. Help Wanted—Female

HOUSEKEEPER: Light work, no laundry, room furnished. Box 591, McAllen.

6c. Salesmen-Agents

EXPERIENCED SALESMAN for Brownsville and vicinity to introduce a new popular price cigar. Excellent opportunity for right man. Give full details in first letter. Write Box 40, c-o Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

AGENTS-SALESMEN: Shirt prices smashed. Tropical air - cooled weaves. One year guarantee. Sensational free outfit with bonus prizes. Rush name today. Wilton, NP-2, Milan, Tenn.

6d. Help Wanted-Male-Fem.

ALL YOU DO IS make appointments to show Rexair Cleaner. Brings prompt relief for Asthma, Sinus, Hayfever, La Grippe, colds, etc. Or send me name of vacuum cleaner prospect. When I sell, will give you $3.00. Ed Mantel, P. O. Box 1444, Harlingen.

MAN AND WOMAN: Woman for cooking in small family, man to drive car, possibly wait on table, attend to lawn. Answer, giving age, experience, references. Unfurnished, comfortatble house provided with kitchen. Write Box 38, c-o Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

7. INSTRUCTIONS

7b. Schools. Colleges

Announcement

Summer Term of Harlingen Business College
(Accredited)
begins June 3. Registrations are now being made. Do not delay.
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Pushcart merchants are always behind in their business.

8. WORK WANTED

8a. Situations Wanted

COLORED WOMAN wants work as cook or general house cleaning. Address 301 W. Tyler St., Harlingen.

AMERICAN, MALE, age 25, with car. High school education. Experienced at Shorthand, typing, bookkeeping, sales and advertising. Call Rev. Grauman, telephone 279, Brownsville.

9. FINANCIAL

9a. Real Estate Loans

Loans
F.H.A. and Commercial Loans
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Harlingen

F. H. A. Farm Loans
Valley-Wide
To Build, Refinance And Repair.
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McAllen

9b. Auto Loans

AUTOMOBILE LOANS
Refinancing
General Insurance
M Bailey
Bennett Tire & Supply
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Valley-Wide
New & Used Car Financing
$100 to $800
AUTO LOANS REFINANCING
Harlingen Insurance Agency
Ground Floor Rio Grande Life Bldg.
Phone 372—Harlingen

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Since 1928
GENERAL INSURANCE
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Harlingen

9c. Personal Loans

$5 to $50.00
AUTO PERSONAL
Loans in 30 Minutes
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Harlingen

10. FOR SALE

10a. Household Goods

Good Used
Coolerator
75-lb. Capacity
$17.50

RADIOS
11-tube electric $10.00
12-tube electric .....$ 5.00

Cylinder Type Vacuum Cleaner, used as demonstrator, regular $39.95 value, complete with attachments—
$29.95

Sears, Roebuck & Co.
Phone 955 Harlingen

9. FINANCIAL

9b. Auto Loans

MONEY for Your Vacation

We have served the people of McAllen for four years, do not confuse our way of loaning money with the ordinary money lending companies, ask our customers.

PHONE 364
L. W. ELY
Mgr.

Eagle Finance Company
1315 Austin Avenue McALLEN

10. FOR SALE

10a. Household Goods

FOR SALE: One 8-cubic foot kerosene Electrolux for $180.00. Two years old. Just like new. Mrs. L. E. Rushton, 1½ miles south on East Cantu road, Santa Rosa.

MAYTAG WASHING machine, with aluminum tub, new motor. Apply at Delta Courts, Cottage 14, Brownsville.

USED ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS
Several sizes & makes
AS LOW AS $15.00
Used Gas & Kerosene Ranges.
Ice Boxes
HARDIN GAS APP. CO.
BROWNSVILLE

10b. Musical Goods

SMALL GRAND PIANO, like new. Will sell at bargain price. L. K. Matejka, Union Bus Terminal, telephone 919, Brownsville.

JUST UN-BOXED manufacturers sample of lovely new 1940 model Spinet. Finest toned small piano we have ever stocked. Manufactured by Story and Clark, one of Americas leading piano names since 1857. Offered for one third off regular retail price, on Joskes easy budget payment plan. Write, call or see me and compare this outstanding value before you buy any piano. Everett H. Willis, Highway, West of Harlingen.

SPLENDID USED PIANO
New Guarantee
Just Take Up Payments
SAN ANTONIO MUSIC CO.
117 North A Harlingen

10c. For Sale, Misc.

CURB SERVICE: Cigarettes 15c. Magazines, postcards, shoeshines. 8 a.m.-9 p.m. Open Sundays. Davo's Newsstand, Brownsville.

FOR SALE: Four used Summer suits — size 38. AMERICAN CLEANERS, Harlingen, Texas.

LIKE STYLE AND COMFORT? See the latest, best and only CLEAR VIEW Lifetime Metal Awning (OUTSIDE VENITIAN BLIND) controls from inside. Keeps home from seven to fifteen degrees cooler on hot days. Resists storms, burglars, rust. No interference with drapes or window operation. For descriptive folder write Central Metal Awning and Shutter Co., or Phone 482-J.
CHAS. F. MITCH Harlingen.

FOR SALE: Electric Welder Engine driven. Address Box B-157, c-o Star, Harlingen.

FOR SALE: Bottle Water Cooler, Iron Board, Lawn Mower, Baby Auto Seat Spring Jumper, Go-cart, Auto ice box, Kitchen cabinet, lots of small tools. 205 South Commerce, Harlingen.

FOR SALE: Underwood typewriter. 205 South Commerce, Harlingen.

For Sale
At Bargain Prices
New Elevator Potato Diggers.
Landis No. 3 Harness Machine.
John Deere Tractor with Equipment.
Portable Houses, 8x14 and 8x10.
36x50 Corrugated Iron Warehouse.
Folding House Trailer, not mounted.
Baled Alfalfa and Corn.
PHILLIPS
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San Benito, Texas

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10e. Radio Repairs, Equip.

RADIO SERVICE: Free inspection, satisfaction guaranteed. Phil Amsler, 2123 17th street, Victoria Heights, phone 178, Brownsville.

10. FOR SALE

10f. Lbr. & Bldg. Material

Master-Mix
House Paint
$2.88 In 5 Gal. Cans
Extension Ladders
24 Ft.
$10.25
Sears, Roebuck & Co.
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10m Tools and Implements

A NEW PEASE, JR. electric blue print machine, size 24x36 inches. H. H. Whittaker, R.F.D. 1, Boca Chica road, Brownsville.

11. LIVESTOCK

11a. Dogs, Cats, Pets

BLACK AND WHITE pedigreed Cocker Spaniel puppies. Very reasonable. Southmost Plantation, telephone 6024-W-1, Brownsville.

11c. Poultry, Supplies

BABY CHICKS: Started chicks. All from blood-tested stock of high vitality. Only hatchery in the Valley with trap nest breeding farm. FISHER POULTRY FARM AND HATCHERY, Raymondville.

12. WANTED TO BUY

12a. Miscellaneous

WANTED: Good second hand Stock Saddle. Bob Hance, Box 704, Santa Maria.

ONE USED power hay press wanted. Write Post Office Box 312, La Feria, Texas.

12b. Let's Swap

HIGH QUALITY violin for typewriter or anything I can use. L. D. Garrard, Miller Hotel, Brownsville.

13. LOST & FOUND

LOST! Thursday morning. Well bred female Pekineze answering to name "Chin-Joy-U." REWARD. Call 915-J, or 1460, Harlingen.

LOST: Large truck tarpaulin on highway between Los Fresnos and Brownsville Port. Will give liberal reward fo return or information leading to its recovery. Schmidt Canning Plant, phone 289, San Benito.

LOST: Year-old black Scottie terrier, named Tavish, in Mission Friday. Needs medical attention. Please phone Mission 283, collect. Reward.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

EAST SIDE DUPLEX, Clean, Cool. Modern, furnished. Clean, quiet part of town. Call at 1205 East Monroe or at Irrigation Office, 209 West Jackson, Harlingen.

FOR RENT: Downstairs east apartment. Furnished. 1206 E. Van Buren. Harlingen. Bruce Ramsey, phone 6007-F-4.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED apartments, houses Desirable bedrooms Listings appreciated Mrs J L. Swann. phone 1169-W Harlingen.

FOR RENT: Apartment. Close in, furnished. Innerspring mattress. 109 North 10th, Harlingen. C. R. Steward.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, first floor. Reasonable. Close in. Telephone 578, 422 Southeast Levee, Brownsville.

STAR APARTMENT — Two and Three Rooms. Very cool. Good Condition Bills paid 318 East Polk.

QUIET AND NICE: Four large furnished room apartment. Garage. Summer rates. 515 Illinois ave., Weslaco.

SAN BENITO FURNISHED apartments. All bills paid, including electric refrigeration. $20.00. Telephone 744, Valencia, Apartments.

FURNISHED SOUTHEAST apartment in duplex. Electrical refrigeration. Garage. 1131 West Levee, phone 1611-W, Brownsville.

COOL, FIVE-ROOM apartment, unusually well furnished. Utilities paid. Screened porch. One small apartment. Call 964, Brownsville.

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TERMINAL APARTMENTS: Cool furnished, reasonable rent. Electrical refrigeration. Utilities paid. Telephone 1126, Brownsville.

SWEENY APARTMENTS: Cool, furnished, electrical refrigeration. Rates extra moderate. Garage. Close in. First and Adams, Brownsville.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

HALL APARTMENTS: Furnished apartments, 521 E. Tyler, Harlingen.

NEWLY DECORATED, furnished, 4 - room southeast apartment, Frigidaire, and garage. 233 Southeast St. Charles St., Brownsville.

NICELY FURNISHED apartment in Alonso, corner Sixth and Levee. Telephone 734, Mrs. Egbert, 934 St. Charles, Brownsville.

NICELY FURNISHED apartments, close in, $18 to $50. Utilities paid. Nel-Roy Apartments, phone 642, Brownsville.

FOUR - ROOM nicely furnished apartment with Frigidaire. Apply to Mrs. Delaney at 1437 Garfield, Brownsville.

GLENWOOD APARTMENTS: Block from post office. Nicely furnished, utilities paid. Rates moderate. Telephone 1512, Brownsville.

TWO-ROOM nicely furnished apartment, electrical refrigeration, utility bills paid. Close in. 1047 Madison street, Brownsville.

Desirable Apartment
Three or four rooms, available June 1. 33 Elizabeth St.
Apply Panama Apartments
357 W. Levee or Liddell Furniture, Brownsville

14b. Rooms

DESIRABLE ROOM, strictly modern, private entrance. Garage. Special privileges. 132 West Levee, telephone 883, Brownsville.

14c. Houses

SEVEN ROOM BRICK home. Beautifully furnished Tile floored, kitchen, three porches and bath Lovely yard 321 West Filmore phone 1040. Harlingen

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SIX-ROOM furnished house at 512 West St. Charles. Apply 524 West St. Charles, telephone 1050, Brownsville.

TOURIST SEASON is just around the corner. Rent the home you want to live in the rest of the year now. We have attractive homes furnished and unfurnished, available immediately. Phone or call Mrs. G. S. Tarley, Clayton Pritchard Real Estate, Phone 558, Harlingen.

14d. Room and Board

SPECIAL LUNCH 25c drink included. Johnson's Air-Conditioned Cafe. 210 W Jackson Harlingen

15. WANTED TO RENT

WANT TO RENT 5-acre farm with house near Brownsville, with option to buy. Write Box 42, Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

FOR SALE: My home on Rio Hondo road. Call 1005 or 461 for information and details. Mrs. Paul R. Maxwell, Harlingen.

ESTATE TO SETTLE five room house. 522 West Buchanan. Sell or trade for Fort Worth Property.

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COUNTRY HOME, cheap, easy terms. Good 6-room modern house, 3 acres bearing orchard, 13 acres wonderful land, all in crop. Located on paved road one mile north San Juan. Priced for cash, $2,500 or $2,700 on easy terms. C. M. Flinn, 213 North Main, McAllen, Texas. Phone 89.

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For $2225.00, with good terms you may have a $5570 Stucco Duplex, 3 big rooms, bath, each side, 2-car garage, good location. Furnished and renting for $43.00 monthly. Payments $25.45. Live yourself on one side free while other side pays for property.
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16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

TO BUYERS
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1-acre and 2-acre tracts north of McAllen (Cascade) Swimming Pool. Insurance loans available.
See SCOTT FORD — Square Deal Laundry
McAllen

16b. Lots for Sale

Money Talks
$1000.00 buys one of the most beautiful building sites inside Brownsville city limits. High terraced ground, nice fruit trees and all public utilities except sewage. 91 feet of frontage on pavement and 299.4 feet in depth.
$2250.00 buys nice 5-room frame home with screened back porch and garage. Located near Fire Ward School and near High School and Junior College. $450.00 cash balance $18.90 per month including principal and interest.
$2350.00 buys large 5-room frame house with front porch, screened back porch and double garage. Close in and on pavement. $600.00 cash, balance $20.90 per month including principal and interest.
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ONLY THREE EXCLUSIVE HOME SITES
Two and half acres each, near Harlingen, on pavement, 5 homes surrounding, cost $5,000 to $10,000 each. Beautiful palms on front, at prices little more than a city lot.
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Hundred and fifty acres, two sets improvements, east Harlingen, just off pavement, all in cultivation, $40 per acre.
Five-room modern home, close in East Jackson St., $2250.00. Good terms, or might take some trade, lots or small acreage.
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Phone 388 Commerce Bldg.
Harlingen

16c. Farms, Ranches

FOR SALE
Ranches, Dry Land Farms
Irrigated Farms
Lake Front Homesites
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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE
An improved 5-acre tract on the pavement. A good buy.
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A small investment for a paying business.
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13 acres all in high state of cultivation with a good 6-room home, good location, good soil. We think a real bargain for only $2500.00. The house alone cost more than $4000.00. You are passing up a bet in that 80 acre tract near Rio Hondo we have for sale at only $40.00 per acre. Irrigated land with good 6-room house and 4 acres in bearing grove. It's a steal.
5 acres on Main Highway between Harlingen and McAllen, small house and grove. Only $1600.00 for all.
20 acres all in bearing grove, Pinks, Red Blush and Oranges. A real steal. See for yourself. Only $225.00 per acre.
5 acres close in, ideal for F.H.A. home site, near schools, paved street. All for $750.00.
5 acres close in with good 5-room modern home, paved road. Only 2 blocks from school.
Don't be afraid of the war. Keep plugging. That's the least expected of all of us.
Call 139.
Willingham Realty
Harlingen, Texas

16e. For Sale or Trade

NIGHT CLUB in Kerrville. 8½ acres on paved road and river. Joining city limits. Rock building 100x100, oak floor, furnished. Framed residence. City conveniences. Big live oak trees. John Furman, Kerrville

16e. For Sale or Trade

EIGHTEEN ACRES near Harlingen for property in or near Brownsville or Port Isabel. L. D. Garrard, Miller Hotel, Brownsville.

16g. Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO BUY or rent from owner: House on highway between Harlingen and Mercedes. Box B-158, Star, Harlingen.

16i. Land for Trade

TWENTY ACRES near Mercedes to trade for property near Harlingen Automobile or good tractor. V Mason, 1501 South First, Harlingen.

17. NOTICES

17a. Announcements

AMERICAN CLEANERS
New Address
212 E Van Buren Phone 890
Across from the Post Office

17d Professional Notices

DR. D. C. ROUGEOU
DENTIST
209-210 Baxter Bldg.
HARLINGEN TEXAS
Telephone Harlingen 1467

17e. Travel Opportunities

WANTED RIDE to Kansas City by Monday; pay part expense and help with driving. References exchanged. Phone 6011-F3, San Benito.

Room for two passengers to Abilene Via Ft. Worth May 31, M. G. Ellis, first house north Stuart School, Box 296, Harlingen.

GOING TO DALLAS Tuesday or Wednesday. Can take two passengers. Telephone 1063-J, Harlingen.

WANT TWO share-expense passengers to Chicago or Michigan. New Chrysler. References exchanged. Call 6016-F-3, Donna.

McALLEN REYNOSA BUS LINE

McALLEN to REYNOSA	
8:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
10:00 A.M.	4:00 P.M.
12:00 A.M.	6:00 P.M.
	8:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:00 P.M.

REYNOSA to McALLEN	
7:50 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
9:00 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
11:00 A.M.	5.00 P.M.
	7:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:30 P.M.

17f. Cafe and Hotels

WHITE KITCHEN
419 Twelfth Street
BUSINESS LUNCHES
Private dining room. Serving the Valley for over ten years
BROWNSVILLE

17h. Political Announcements

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading are published the names of candidates for public office. The fees for this service can be obtained at the Brownsville Herald office.
Names of candidates will be carried in the announcement column until the July Primary.

Valley Sunday Star-Monitor-Herald is authorized to make the following announcements of candidates subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

For District Attorney:
ROY A. SCOTT, Corpus Christi
W. B. WEAVER, Corpus Christi.

For Sheriff:
WILL CABLER, Brownsville.

NEW YORK CURB

Am Cyan B	31	28¾	31
Am Gas & El	27	26⅛	27
Ark Nat aGs A	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Bath Iron Wks	11½	10¾	11½
Bell Aire	17⅛	17	17⅛
Bellanca Aire	4½	4½	4½
Brewst Aire	10¼	9¾	10¼
Bridgpt Mach	1½	1½	1½
Cities Service	5	4⅞	5
Crocker-Wh Elm	3¾	3⅜	3⅜
Eagle Pich	7⅛	6⅞	7⅛
El Bond & Sh	4	3⅞	4½
Gulf Oil	28	27½	27½
Humble Oil	50½	49¾	55
Lone Star Gas	7¾	7¾	7¾
Nlag Hud Pow	3½	3⅜	3⅜
Okla Nat Gas	15	13¾	15
Unit aGs	1⅛	1	1

STOCK LIST

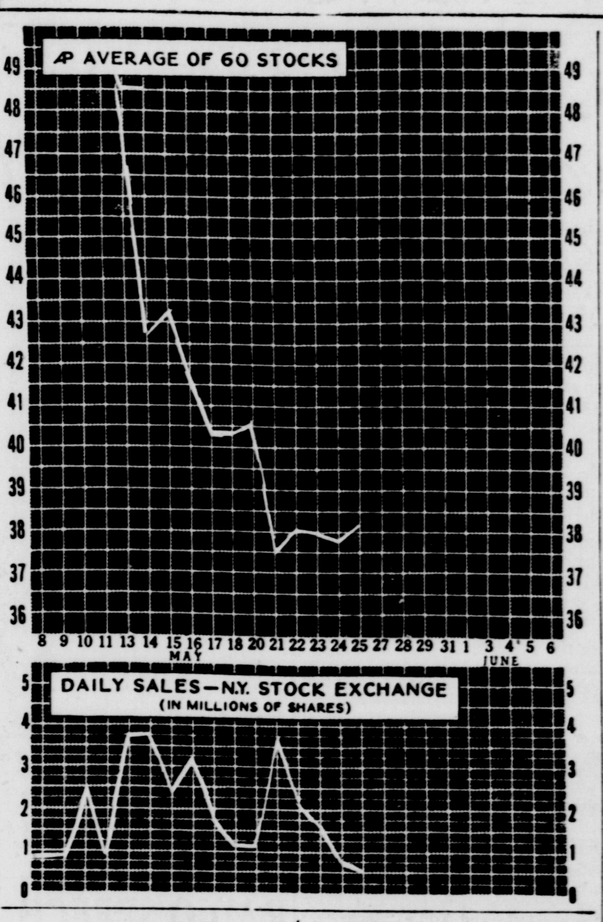
	Trade in 100	High	Low	Close
Al Chm&Dye	9	140½	139½	139½
Ali's Ch Mfg	15	24	23⅛	23⅞
Am Can	9	91⅞	90	90
Am M&Fdy	1	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Am Metal	3	13	13	13
Am Rad&St S	50	5⅜	5	5⅜
Am Roll Mill	9	10½	10	10½
Am Smelt&R	6	34¼	33¼	34¼
Am Tel&Tel	18	148½	147¾	148
Am Wat Wks	9	6⅝	6½	6⅝
Am Woolen	12	6⅞	6⅛	6½
Am Zinc L&S	7	5	4⅞	5
Anaconda	85	21¼	19¼	21¼
Atch T&S	10	14¼	13⅞	14⅛
Atl Refining	10	20⅞	19⅞	20¼
Aviation Corp	40	5⅞	5⅝	5⅞
Barnsdall Oil	48	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞
Bendix Aviat	31	27½	25⅝	27¼
Beth Steel	92	70¼	67	69½
Borden Co	3	18½	18	18½
Budd Wheel	8	4¾	4¾	4
Ch'han Z-Lead	1	⅛	⅛	⅛
Calu&Hec	7	5⅜	5⅛	5⅜
Case (JI) Co	1	42	42	42
Cerro de Pas	6	24	23½	24
Certainteed	3	4⅜	4	4⅜
Chrysler Corp	43	59⅜	57½	58⅝
Col&Sou	70	2	2	2
Cclum G&El	10	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
Coml Solvents	21	8¾	8⅜	8¾
Cmwlth&Sou	7	⅞	⅞	⅞
Consol Oil	60	6	5⅞	6
Corn Prods	7	45½	45	45½
Curtiss Wri	116	8⅞	8½	8⅞
Douglas Aire		207½	75½	77¼
El Auto Lite	6	27	26⅜	27
El Pow&Lt	4	3¼	3⅜	3½
Freeport Sulph	2	26	25¾	26
Gen Elec	71	38⅞	38⅜	38⅜
Gen Foods	8	39⅜	39	39⅜
Gen Motors	120	39⅝	38¼	39⅝
Gdrich (BF)	12	10⅞	10⅛	10½
Gt Nor Ire Ore	4	12½	12	12½
Gt Nth Ry Pf	19	18¼	17¼	18⅛
Houd Hersh B	3	10¼	10⅛	10¼
Houston Oil	2	3⅞	3¾	3¾
Hudson Motor	1	3⅜	3⅛	3⅜
Hupp Motor	5	⅝	⅝	⅝
Int Harvest	14	43	41¾	43
Int Hyd El A	2	2¼	2⅛	2⅛
Int Tel&Tel	40	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
J Manville	10	46	45	45
Kenne Cop	35	28⅜	27½	28¼
Lockheed Air	100	30⅜	28⅜	30⅛
Loew's Inc	9	22⅛	21¼	22
Lorillard (P)	3	19½	19⅛	19½
Marsh Field	19	9½	9	9¼
Mid Cont Pet	6	12⅛	11¾	12⅛
Mo Kan Tex	1	½	½	½
Mongt Ward	31	34⅞	34⅛	34⅞
Nash Kelvin	5	4	4	4
Nat Biscuit	2	18⅞	18¾	18¾
Nat Dairy Pr	16	13¾	13	13½
Nat Distillers	3	18¼	18⅛	18⅛
Nta Pow&Lt	9	6	5⅞	6
N Y Cen RR	46	10⅜	9⅞	10⅜
North Am Co	24	16⅛	15⅜	16⅜
Northern Pac	12	5⅜	5⅛	5¼
Ohio Oil	18	6¼	6	6⅛
Pac Gas&El	5	26½	26¼	26½
Packard Mot	30	2⅞	2⅝	2¾
Pan Am Air	23	13⅝	13	13¼
Pnnndle P&R	1	⅝	⅝	⅝
Penney (JC)	6	76	74¾	75
Penn RR	41	17¼	16½	17¼
Petrol Corp	3	6½	6½	6½
Phelps Dodge	22	29⅞	27	29⅞
Phillips Pet	15	29	28¾	28¾
Plymouth Oil	4	16¼	16	16¼
Pub Svc NJ	6	33½	32¾	33½
Pullman	4	18⅞	18¼	18½
Pure Oil	31	7⅝	7	7¼
R C A	38	4⅝	4⅜	4⅝
Reming Rand	1	6¼	6¼	6¼
Repub Steel	85	15⅝	14⅝	15½
Seaboard Oil	1	13	13	13
Sears Roeb	12	64½	62½	64½
Servel Inc	3	9¼	9⅛	9⅛
Simmons Co	6	13¼	12⅞	13¼
Socony Vac	50	8¼	8	8¼
Southern Pac	19	7¾	7⅜	7¾
Southern Ry	10	9⅛	9	9⅛
Stand Brands	15	5⅜	5¼	5⅜
Stand Oil Cal	11	19¼	18¾	19
Stand Oil Ind	49	21⅞	20⅞	20⅞
Stand Oil NJ	42	32½	31⅝	31⅝
Stew Warn	1	4¾	4¾	4¾
Studebaker	40	6⅜	6	6⅛
Texas Corp	46	34½	33	34½
Tex Gulf Prod	3	2⅞	2⅝	2⅝
Tex Gulf Slph	3	29	27¾	29
Tex Pac C&O	4	6	5¾	6
Tex Pac L Trst	4	4⅛	4	4⅛
Tid Wat A Oil	6	9⅛	9	9⅛
Trns&Wst Air	15	14	13½	14
Un Carbide	17	64	62½	64
Un Oil Cal	5	12¼	12	12
United Aire	42	43⅝	41⅝	43
United Drug	2	4½	4½	4½
Un Gas Imp	12	10⅞	10⅜	10⅜
US Rubber	29	17½	16⅝	17⅜
U S Steel	118	45½	43½	45⅛
Walgreen Co	2	18	17½	18
West Un Tel	11	15⅜	14⅞	15⅜
West El&Mfg	12	84¼	82½	83
White Motor	4	8⅛	8	8⅛
Wilson&Co	20	4⅛	3⅞	4⅛
Woolw (FW)	4	31⅞	31¾	31⅞

CHICAGO BUTTER, EGGS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Butter 911,006; steady; creamery—89 score, 24¾; 88, 24¼; other prices unchanged.

Eggs 39,750; steady; current receipts 14; dirties 12¾; checks 12½; other prices unchanged.

DAY'S NEWS OF NATION'S MARKETS



MART GLOOM LIFTS SOME DURING DAY

Stocks Step Out Of Downside Week

NEW YORK—(AP)—War gloom lifted a trifle in the stock market Saturday, without especial news to account for it, and leading issues stepped out of a generally disappointing week with a fair-sized rally.

Steels, aircrafts and coppers came to the fore for gains running to three or more points after a sluggish first hour. Top gains were reduced in most cases at the close.

Average Shows Gain

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks held a net advance of .3 of a point at 38.1 but for the week showed a net loss of 2.3 points. It was the fourth consecutive week's decline in this composite. Saturday the barometer was .4 of a point above its two year low established Tuesday. The 1940 high was 52.2.

Transfers for the two hours amounted to 554,330 shares compared with 1,663,270 last Saturday when quotations were toppling. The week's volume of some 10,000,000 shares contrasted with about 17,000,000 the week before.

Among prominent share gainers were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Douglas Aircraft, United Aircraft, Glenn Martin, Sperry, Lockheed, Anaconda, Kennecott, Du Pont and Sears Roebuck.

Motors lagged most of the time, but finished on the upside. Rails were ahead small amounts, as were rubbers and utilities.

Losers up to a point or so included Dow Chemical, Union Carbide, Johns-Manville, Eastman Kodak and Standard Oil of N. J.

Gainers of fractions to more than two points in the curb were American Cyanamid "B," American Gas, Jones and Laughlin, Bell Aircraft and Brewster Aero. The turnover here was around 101,000 shares against 287,000 a week ago.

Bonds were irregularly better. Commodities recovered with stocks.

STOCKS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

NEW YORK—(AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the 15 most active stocks Saturday:

Loft 15,500	18¼	+ ⅜
Boeing Airp 14,500	16⅛	+ ⅛
Gen Motors 12,400	39⅝	+ ¾
Curtiss Wright 11,600	8⅞	+ ⅛
U S Steel 10,400	45⅛	+ 1½
Lockheed Airc 9,900	30¼	+ 1½
Beth Steel 9,300	69½	+ 2⅜
Nor Am Aviat 8,900	13⅜	+ ⅛
Anaconda 8,500	21¼	+ 1⅛
Int Pap & P 8,500	12	+ 1
Republic Stl 8,000	15½	+ ¾
Gen Electric 6,500	28¾	No
Feo Motors Ct 6,800	1¼	+ ⅛
Consol Oil 6,000	6	+ ⅛
Comwlth Edis 5,100	26⅝	— ⅛
Int Tel & Tel 5,100	2⅝	+ ⅛

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK—
Stocks—Steady; Steels, aircrafts improve.
Bonds—Mixed; British Empire loans under pressure.
Foreign Exchange—Erratic; Canadian dollar at record low.
Cotton—Mixed; trade buying, mill and spot house selling.
Sugar—High; speculative buying.
Metals—Steady; zinc sales large at 6 cent level.
Wool Tops—Improved; trade and local buying.
CHICAGO—
Wheat—Higher.
Corn—Higher.
Cattle—Steady.
Hogs—Steady.

COTTON

COTTON AVERAGES

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16 inch cotton at ten designated southern spot markets Saturday was four points higher at 10.11 cents a pound; average for the past 30 market days was 10.24 cents; middling ⅞ inch average was 9.93 cents.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures traded irregularly Saturday with final prices four points higher to five lower.
The market at one time rallied to small net gains in all deliveries following an upturn in securities. Week-end liquidation and profit taking reversed the forward movement.
Old contract:

	Open	High	Low	Last	
July	9.48	9.52	9.44	9.49	+ 4
New contract:					
July	9.69	9.70	9.67	9.67N	+ 1
Oct.	8.81	8.83	8.75	8.79	— 2
Dec.	8.72	8.76	8.67	8.70-71	— 3
Jan.				8.53N	— 3
March	8.55	8.58	8.50	8.51	— 4
May	8.42	8.44	8.37	8.37	— 5

Middling spot (⅞ inch) 10.41N, up 4.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady, three points net higher to two lower.

	Open	High	Low	Close	
July	9.59	9.64	9.57	9.62	+ 3
Oct.	8.85	8.86	8.78	8.83	— 2
Dec.	8.76	8.77	8.74	8.74	— 2
Jan.	8.71	8.72	8.71	8.56B	..
March	8.57	8.57	8.57	8.55B	..
May	8.45	8.45	8.45	8.42B	..

N. O. COTTONSEED OIL

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Bleachable prime summer yellow 5.30N; prime crude nominal. July 5.70B; September 5.74B; October 5.75B; December 5.83.

N. O. SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Spot cotton closed quiet, two points higher. Sales 106. Low middling 9.32; middling 10.32; good middling 10.77. Receipts 2,288; stock 650,473.

LIVESTOCK

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle, salable 150; calves, salable 200; week's tops: Slaughter steers 10.25, yearlings 10.15, grass steers 7.75, cows 6.50, bulls 5.50, fat calves 9.50 and stocker calves 10.75. Bulk prices: Medium to good steers 7.25-9.00, good to choice yearlings 8.50-10.00, beef cows 5.50-6.50, bulls 4.50-5.50; medium to good fat calves 8.00-9.00; stocker steer calves 8.00-10.50 and stock heifer calves 8.00-9.50; stocker yearlings 9.00 down.
Hogs, salable 300; good and choice 175-275 lb 5.30-40; packing sows 4.25-50.
Sheep, salable 500; total 700; bulk spring lambs 8.50-9.50; top 9.85; bulk medium to good clipped lambs 6.75-7.75, top 8.00; 2-year-old wethers 4.50-5.00; aged wethers 3.00-25; ewes 3.00 down; spring feeder lambs 5.00-6.00; clipped feeder lambs 5.00-50.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Salable hogs 200; small lots 251 lbs butchers fully steady at 5.65.
Salable cattle 200; calves none; compared Friday last week: After selling measurably lower early in week, fed steers and yearlings closed steady with week earlier; closing market under pressure, however, uncovering a slight dip from week's high time; heifers steady to 25 lower.
Cows steady; bulls weak; vealers 25-50 lower; stockers and feeders closed steady to 25 higher; extreme top strictly choice fed steers 11.65; best long yearlings 11.40; light mixed yearlings 11.00; heifer yearlings 10.50; very liberal supply fed steers sold at 9.75-10.50.

Screen Calendar **NEWS OF LATEST MOTION PICTURES** Advance Films

Alice Faye Will Play Famed Lillian Russell

The Life And Loves Of Celebrated Stage Beauty Are Pictured In Spectacular Screen Musical At Arcadia

ALICE FAYE portrays the first and greatest of America's glamour girls in the screen production of "Lillian Russell," with Don Ameche and Henry Fonda in featured supporting roles.

The colorful life and loves of the striking American beauty are revived in all their splendor and magnificence with the sparkling, dashing days of America's most fabulous era as a background.

Lillian Russell was famous for her marvelous voice as well as her splendid acting and great beauty, and Alice Faye sings many of the songs Lillian popularized. Among these are "After The Ball Is Over," "Rosie, You Are My Posie," "My Evening Star," "The Band played On" ("Strawberry Blond") and many others.

Don Ameche has the role of Lillian's composer-husband, who struggled to author her greatest stage success. It is Ameche's third composer role and his acting again is outstanding as it was in "Alexander's Ragtime Band" and "Swanee River."

Henry Fonda is cast as Alexander Moore, the newspaperman who fell in love with the gorgeous Lillian when they were both young, but failed to tell her about it. Other featured players include Edward Arnold as Diamond Jim Brady, Warren William and Leo Carillo. "Lillian Russell," is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.

Lionel Barrymore and Laraine Day co-starred with Lew Ayres in "Dr. Kildare's Strange Case," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

JACK BENNY'S NEW FILM IS COMEDY HIT

THE STORY of Jack Benny's latest starring picture "Buck Benny Rides Again," is just a peg on which to hang the hilarious and romantic antics of Benny and his numerous supporting players including Ellen Drew, Phil Harris, Andy Devine, Virginia Dale and Eddie "Rochester" Anderson.

Benny, radio top-notcher as he is, can't get anywhere in the affections of Ellen Drew because she has been told to watch out for city slickers and to stick to the western cowboy for romance. The rest of it is that Jack turns western cowboy trying to make that big impression on Ellen.

With Benny being funnier than he has ever been in films, "Buck Benny Rides Again" is completely slap-happy, right up to its ending and through the couple of brief appearances of Carmichael, the polar bear, making his screen debut in the picture.

"Buck Benny Rides Again" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

STAR TRIO SEEN IN 'TILL WE MEET AGAIN'

GEORGE BRENT, Merle Oberon and Pat O'Brien share co-starring honors in the screen's romantic drama " 'Til We Meet Again," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and at the State Theatre in Mercedes Thursday and Friday.

The setting for the film is a luxurious liner travelling from Hong Kong to San Francisco, and there is action, drama, romance and comedy all along the way. Miss Oberon and Brent carry their romantic interest, as the pair of romantic lovers who know that when the trip is over they will never meet again. She is under sentence of death from a heart ailment; he knows that when the ship docks at San Francisco he will be taken to San Quentin to pay the death penalty for murder. Each tries to spare the other the knowledge of their fate, and to cram into the brief time they have together all the love of a normal lifetime.

O'Brien's romantic interest in the film centers around Binnie Barnes, that lovely blonde queen of comedy, who plays the role of a phoney French countess, fourflushing her way across the Pacific.

Geraldine Fitzgerald plays the role of Miss Oberon's friend and confidante, and Frank McHugh, Eric Blore, Regis Toomey, Henry O'Neill are also featured.

'DR. KILDARE'S STRANGE CASE' AT PALACE

THE LATEST "Dr. Kildare" film with Lew Ayres and Lionel Barrymore once more portraying the intern, Dr. Jimmy Kildare, and the great diagnostician, Dr. Leonard Gillespie is replete with dramatic surprises and thrills in a hospital's surgery room.

Under the title, "Dr. Kildare's Strange Case" the story revolves about the efforts of Ayres to help a surgeon friend, accused of having performed a bungled operation. Dramatic moments such as a bird's-eye view of a delicate brain operation, plus the scientific handling of a mad-man in the convulsions of delirium, plus humorous moments such as when Nat Pendleton tries to figure out how he can take Marie Blake on a fifty-dollar date.

Larraine Day is charming as Nurse Mary Lamont who loves and hopes to marry Ayres. Samuel S. Hinds and Emma Dunn as Ayres' parents, Alma Kruger as the superintendent of nurses, and Walter Kingsford as head of the hospital enact roles they have played in previous Kildare films.

"Dr. Kildare's Strange Case" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

DOROTHY LAMOUR IN SOUTH SEAS ROMANCE

DOROTHY LAMOUR appears as a sun-tanned, sarong-clad island beauty in the Technicolor adventure romance "Typhoon," scheduled for current Sunday and Monday at the State Theatre in Mercedes; Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Friday and Saturday.

Miss Lamour's newest role since "Road to Singapore" places her on an uninhabited Polynesian island, far from the sea lanes, where she has grown to womanhood after being shipwrecked as a little girl. Robert Preston, Lynne Overman and J. Carrol Naish are co-featured with Dotty in top roles.

The awe-inspiring spectacle of tropical fury is reported on a par with, if not greater than, the effects achieved for the earthquake in "San Francisco." Torrential rails are followed by a gale which uproots whole palm trees. No expense was spared to squeeze every bit of thrill from the fury.

Alice Faye, Don Ameche and Henry Fonda in the spectacular screen musical "Lillian Russell," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.

Pat O'Brien, Merle Oberon and George Brent in "Til We Meet Again," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito. Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and at the State Theatre in Mercedes Thursday and Friday.

RADIO SPEECH TO BE HEARD

President's Broadcast At Theatres

Of vital importance to every man, woman and child who is an American or who lives in the Western Hemisphere is the speech that President Roosevelt will deliver to the nation on his international broadcast Sunday night at 8:30 p. m.

Advance reports explain that it will be devoted to the recent rearmament and defense bill that passed through Congress this week with an explanation of what is being done and what will be done to keep America the greatest stronghold of Democracy and freedom that our forebears who fought for it intended it to be.

All Interstate Theatres in the Valley are being equipped with facilities to broadcast this vital message to audiences who either do not possess a radio or who prefer to listen to the President's speech in the cool, comfort of the theatre.

FLAG SPEAKS IS SCHEDULED

An impressive short subject is John Nesbitt's "The Flag Speaks" booked as a special program feature at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Sunday and Monday and at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Filmed in color the subject opens with superimposed scenes of the bigness of America with its hundreds of different religious faiths, its widely diversified peoples, the point is made early in the subject that every man, woman and child, regardless of position, religion, or color stand unified in reverence and respect for Old Glory.

Jack Benny, surrounded by such laugh provokers as Andy Devine, Phil Harris and Rochester with feminine support of Ellen Drew and Virginia Dale in "Buck Benny Rides Again," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

VALLEY SCREEN CALENDAR

CAPITOL THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Jack Benny and Ellen Drew in "Buck Benny Rides Again" with Andy Devine, Phil Harris, "Rochester," Virginia Dale and Dennis Day.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Eddie Cantor and Rita Johnson in "Forty Little Mothers" with Bonita Granville and Judith Anderson.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Spencer Tracy and Rita Johnson in "Edison, The Man" with Gene Lockhart and Charles Coburn.

QUEEN THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, ONLY: Bela Lugosi in "The Human Monster."
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Robert Donat and Greer Garson in James Hilton's "Goodbye Mr. Chips."
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake in "Blondie On A Budget" with Larry Simms.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Charles Starrett and Lorena Grey in "Bullets For Rustlers" with the Sons Of The Pioneers.

RIVOLI THEATRE, SAN BENITO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: George Brent and Merle Oberon in "Till We Meet Again" with Pat O'Brien, Binnie Barnes, Frank McHugh and Eric Blore. Also "The Flag Speaks" in color
TUESDAY ONLY: Martha Raye and Charlie Ruggles in "The Farmer's Daughter."
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Eddie Cantor and Rita Johnson in "Forty Little Mothers" with Bonita Granville and Judith Anderson.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Dorothy Lamour and Robert Preston in "Typhoon" with Lynne Overman. Filmed in Technicolor.

ARCADIA THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Alice Faye, Don Ameche and Henry Fonda in "Lillian Russell" with Warren Williams, Edward Arnold and Leo Carillo.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: John Garfield and Ann Shirley in "Saturday's Children" with Claude Rains. Tuesday Only: On Stage Frances Jennings School of Dance.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Jack Benny and Ellen Drew in "Buck Benny Rides Again" with Andy Devine, Phil Harris, "Rochester" and Virginia Dale. Also "The Flag Speaks" in color.

RIALTO THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Jack Holt and Harry Carey in "Outside The Three Mile Limit" with Eduardo Ciannelli, Donald Briggs and Irene Ware.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Margot Stevenson and James Stephenson in "Calling Philo Vance" with Ralph Forbes and Henry O'Neill.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: George Brent and Isa Miranda in "Adventure In Diamonds" with John Loder, Nigel Bruce and Rex Evans.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Roy Rogers and Pauline Moore in "Young Buffalo Bill" with George "Gabby" Hayes.

STRAND THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Clark Gable and Joan Crawford in "Strange Cargo" with Peter Lorre, Albert Dekker and Paul Lukas.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Mae West and W. C. Fields in "My Little Chickadee" with Fuzzy Knight.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Preston Foster and Andy Devine in "Geronimo" with Ellen Drew and Ralph Morgan.
SATURDAY ONLY: Spanish dialogue films.

STATE THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Dorothy Lamour and Robert Preston in "Typhoon" with Lynne Overman and J. Carrol Naish. Filmed in Technicolor.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Joan Blondell, Lana Turner and George Murphy in "Two Girls On Broadway" with Kent Taylor.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: George Brent and Merle Oberon in "Til We Meet Again" with Binnie Barnes, Frank McHugh, Pat O'Brien and Eric Blore.
SATURDAY ONLY: The Three Mesquiteers in "Covered Wagon Days."

RITZ THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Bing Crosby and Gloria Jean in "If I Had My Way" with El Brendel and Charles Winninger.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: George Brent and Merle Oberon in "Til We Meet Again" with Pat O'Brien, Binnie Barnes, Frank McHugh and Eric Blore.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Lana Turner, Joan Blondell and George Murphy in "Two Girls On Broadway" with Kent Taylor.
SATURDAY ONLY: Charles Starrett and Iris Meredith in "Blazing Six Shooters" with the Sons Of The Pioneers.

PALACE THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Lew Ayres and Lionel Barrymore in "Dr. Kildare's "Strange Case" with Laraine Day. Also latest March of Time.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: John Garfield and Anne Shirley in "Saturday's Children" with Claude Rains.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Dorothy Lamour and Robert Preston in "Typhoon" with Lynne Overman and J. Carrol Naish.

QUEEN THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY ONLY: The Weaver Brothers and Elviry in "In Old Missouri" with Loretta Weaver and Thurston Hall.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake in "Blondie Brings Up Baby" with Larry Simms.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Spencer Tracy and Hedy LaMarr in "I Take This Woman"
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Tex Ritter and his horse White Flash in "Pals Of The Silver Sage."

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GERMANS TRAP FRENCH ATTACK ARMY

'No Journey Ever Seemed So Good To Me'

Englishman Tells Of Horrors During German Attack On Boulogne; Defiant Struggle Of British War Vessels

LONDON—(AP)—An Englishman who witnessed this week's fighting at Boulogne told Saturday night of being taken aboard a British destroyer while its guns thundered parting defiance to German troops swarming into the French city.

The witness, Frederick Brinjes, a business man, said the ancient, sunny city across the channel had become a shell-rocked, bomb-spattered trap for thousands of refugees.

Brinjes, brought home to England aboard the destroyer, declared "no journey ever seemed so good to me."

He told of spending two nights at the maritime station in Boulogne where thousands of hysterical men, women and children waited to get out of the city.

They were without water. There were no sanitary facilities. Machine-gun bullets rattled in the streets.

"There must have been many killed," he said. "I don't know how many. I know there were hundreds wounded and I saw many going mad."

Brinjes reached Boulogne Wednesday afternoon.

"The street to the station was black with people," he said. "It took me two hours to fight my way through the crowd."

"Everytime a bomb went off the women would scream," Brinjes related. "No one tried to stop them."

Many soldiers who had fought in local engagements in the previous several days were in the station, he said, and British and French destroyers were moored nearby.

"The heavy bombing and low-raking fire from planes started at dusk Wednesday and continued all night," Brinjes said. "Not much damage was done to the station but a number of people were cut by flying glass."

Among the spectacles was a "dog fight" between planes above the harbor. Two enemy planes fell into the sea in flames.

By Thursday afternoon, he recalled, the German troops had penetrated the town and captured guns on a hill near the Continental Hotel.

"At seven that night," he continued, "three destroyers alongside the jetty opened fire on German gun emplacements on the hill.

"The noise was terrific. The German fire was far from accurate but one destroyer finally was struck amidships. I learned later it reached a British port safely.

"The remaining two destroyers put the German guns out of action.

"During the shelling other destroyers were taking aboard women, children and injured soldiers.

"Many of the regugees were wounded by machine gun fire as they dashed about 50 yards to the destroyers.

"By nine o'clock the Germans were coming toward the station. The British and French were fighting back, firing from under railway carriages and from behind sandbag defenses. German tanks began to appear.

"At the moment I got aboard the destroyer it was still firing. We made a top speed dash across the channel. No sea journey ever seemed so good to me."

FRENCH OUST 15 GENERALS FOR FAILURE

Weygand Organizing New Defenses

PARIS —(AP)— General Maxime Weygand Saturday summarily dismissed 15 generals who figured in the French rout from the Meuse front and injected fresh blood into his Allied high command for the decisive phase of the battle for the English Channel.

A war ministry communique published under the heading of "penalties" said the 15 commanders of full armies, corps, divisions and other army services had been removed from their posts. Their names were not announced.

Nazis Rush Up Tanks

Their commands already have been taken over by new men chosen by General Weygand in his flying trips to the front to lead the campaign against the German corridor to the sea.

Seven infantry colonels were promoted to be Major Generals to fill the places of those ousted. Promoted are Henri Martin, Jean Besse, Andre Durand, Charles Mast, Charles De Gaulle, Gustave Nesny and Louis Buisson.

The Nazis poured masses of heavy tanks and infantry through their breach between the northern Allied forces and the central French army in an effort to tighten their hold on the English Channel coast.

Allies Claim Thrusts

On the northern side of the corridor the Germans occupied Vimy Ridge and other crests northwest of Arras, making contact with the new British-Belgian positions, and pressed their attacks on the Dover straits port of Calais.

On the southern side of the German salient French operations along the Somme River were reported continuing "with success."

The night high command communique said the situation in the north "was udnergoing no important change." It added that the French were inflicting heavy losses on the enemy "in all encounters" and that between the Aisne and Meuse rivers the Allies held domination ovr the Germans.

Neck Is Squeezed

The Germans, gambling for all-or-nothing in the battle for the English Channel coast, Saturday night rushed their heaviest tanks and motorized infantry through their narrow corridor to the sea to support lighter advance units.

Allied counter-attacks were frequent and intense and French military spokesmen asserted these had squeezed the corridor's neck from Friday's 30 or 35 miles to 20.

An early decision was indicated as the struggles developed on two main fronts, with the northern Allied forces in Flanders and the central French army on the Somme continuing their campaign to form

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Hitler's Armored Forces Drive Ahead To Channel; New Blitzkrieg Due Soon

Secret Weapon Will Be Used Soon, Nazis Declare; 'Great Things' Seen

By The Associated Press

BERLIN — Germany has trapped and is ready to destroy the entire attack army of France, an authorized source declared Saturday night.

The decisive Nazi military operations in The Netherlands, Belgium and Northern France, he continued, have been accomplished by just one-third of Germany's 5,000,000 first line troops.

At present, he went on, the Reich has 65 per cent of her army still unengaged and will be ready in a few days to take Paris, storm the main Maginot Line or invade England.

Backed up against the English Channel coast within the area which the Germans have encircled in the past two weeks, are 500,000 French, 400,000 Belgians and 200,000 English, this spokesman declared.

Since it can be considered, he went on, that France's attack army is gone, all she has left is 120 divisions of first line troops to defend Paris, hold the Maginot Line and to protect her southeastern flank against a possible attack by Italy from across the Alps.

The figures on Allied troops caught by Germany's encirclement movement were affirmed here by military experts who calculated that Germany had used approximately 83 of her 250 divisions of first line troops in the speedy operations by which she has absorbed all of Holland, most of Belgium and a slice of France in about two weeks.

An authoritative source estimated that one fourth of France's first line force is trapped by the Nazi encirclement.

These troops, he said, are the cream of the French army, with the best equipment, including mechanized weapons, available in the Allied armies.

Nazi Drive Turns Eastward

He went on to outline the nature of the operations and predicted an early cleanup of the trapped Allies.

Already, he recounted, the German drive which penetrated northward to Calais has turned eastward to blast a way through north of the Lille fortifications.

From Arras, in turn, a drive has been launched to sweep east and north of Lille, French industrial town within the curve of her frontier with Belgium.

This joint maneuver will bring encirclement within encirclement, which, he estimated, would cut off the bulk of British and French troops —perhaps 700,000 men—who will be "sponged up."

Further to the north a loop will be drawn outwards to Ghent to absorb the bulk of Belgium, he declared, and after that, the remainder of the trapped Allied force would be crowded up against the Channel coast and captured.

'Mopping Up' To Be Swift

Thus Belgium, like Caesar's Gaul, will be divided into three parts, enabling the Germans to carry out the age-old military maneuver—divide and destroy.

This source predicted the mopping up of the trapped Allied forces within the next few days.

And then, he continued, Germany will resort to her much-discussed "secret weapon" and in operations on an "exciting scale" will bring about "great things."

The statement on the Nazi secret weapon came from a source whose information heretofore has been well-nigh official.

As to this secret weapon, the spokesman declared, it is more important than tanks, gas, or the famed 42 centimeter Howitzer proved to be in the World War.

"On the authority of the high command of the armed forces, I say this weapon exists," he said.

New Weapon To Be Used

"It still is entirely secret. It is not gas, nor a speedboat, nor parachute troops, nor a glider, nor a flame thrower, nor troops landed from planes.

"Adolf Hitler knew he could win with this new weapon. In a few days you will see great things because that weapon is in general operation."

He declined to say whether it had been used so far in this war. It was reported widely that some secret device was used in the Nazi captur of Fort Eben Emael above Liege early in the German drive into Belgium.

Some doubt was cast on this report when a film of the capture of the fortress disclosed it had been blasted to pieces by air bombs and the heaviest artillery.

This spokesman asserted a German victory was "inevitable" for these reasons:

1. The first northern Allied army is gone because it cannot retreat.

German Moral Is Said High

2. German morale is high because of constant successes, superior weapons and air force.
3. The Maginot Line no longer is a problem since Germany already is in a position to get behind it.
4. The "new weapon."

As soon as the encircled area is cleaned up, he continued, the German army will have one-third of its forces freed from this task to join the balance of the army with three possible courses:

1. To attack southward and envelope Paris and the French army.
2. To turn east and drive behind the Maginot Line.
3. To attack Great Britain.

The spokesman declined to say which course was scheduled first.

During the day's operations Germany tightened her ring of steel around the Allied armies in Flanders' flatlands.

French Attacks Declared Weak

Dive-bombing Stukas attacked the English Channel ports of Dieppe, Ostend, Dunkerque and Blakenberghe to block the landing of British reinforcements. The French attempt to slash through to their beleaguered Allies was described here as "weak."

At his battlefront headquarters, Adolf Hitler was believed nearing another decision—whether to hurl his blitzkrieg at once into England, or carry the war south to Paris.

German battle maps pictured the noose around the British as tightened by two-thirds within 48 hours, with these new gains:

1. Advance patrols from the thrust up the English Channel entered Calais, 22 miles from England, and battled with Allied defenders in the streets.
2. Troops that broke the Scheldt River defense line smashed on east over the Lys River—Belgium's last natural barrier.
3. Spearheads from the northeast and southeast menaced industrial Lille—fortified since 1030—which changed hands three times in the opening months of the World War. The advance from the southeast drove over part of Vimy Ridge.

With the pace of invasion speeded in apparent disregard of the cost in men and materials, German sources said the position of the trapped British and Belgian forces seemed hopeless.

Calais, although not yet claimed as fallen, was reported rendered useless for British landing operations. Throughout the World War the Allies doggedly held Calais as the principal avenue for landing men and arms from Britain.

Some patrols were said to have circled Calais toward Gravelines, the next port northeast.

Military spokesmen added that the German air force was "capable of cutting off every possibility of retreat" from the last avenues of escape—Dunkuerque, Ostend and Zeebrugge.

Italy Turns Eyes To Corsica

SIGNS SOUGHT OF WAR MOVE

Fascist Act Is Still Matter Of Guess

ROME—(AP)—In spoken and printed word and picture, the name of Corsica, French Mediterranean Island, flashed before Italian eyes Saturday night against a background of exciting rumor.

Italy's preparations for war gained in momentum, but how or when Fascism would act remained a matter of guesswork.

The fact that westbound Italian shipping, including sailing of the great flagship Rex, had halted until at least June 6, made that date a focus of speculation.

Italian Move Seen

Foreign observers professed to see in the Corsica outburst a sign that Italy, if she goes to war at all, would move first in the western Mediterranean.

The French have held Corsica since 1768, and Napolean came to France from there. But the island, 114 miles long and separated only by the narrow strait of Bonifacio from Italian Sardinia, is Italian by history, geography and tongue.

A manifesto, issued in Rome by Petru Giovacchini, leader of the Corsican irredentists, called upon Corsicans to "arise—the moment of redemption is near." Giovacchini, a half Italian fugitive from the island, has been agitating for Corsica's return to Italy.

Persecution Charged

A map of Corsica, printed in bright red ink, was spread across the front page of the newspaper Tevere.

Posters screaming "Viva Italian Corsica" were plastered on the walls of Rome.

There were rumors, among others, that Italians in Malta, Britain's Mediterranean naval base, might send a delegation here to ask Mussolini for "protection" against the "persecution" which the Italian press insists Maltese now endure.

Italians 'Await Word'

Minister of Agriculture Cassinai told an irrigation convention in Bologna that Italians are "impatiently awaiting" Mussolini's command to "break the prison which is holding them" in the Mediterranean.

The United States embassy, according to usually reliable sources, is prepared to take charge of the French and British diplomatic establishments in case of war.

Allies Claim Half Million Nazis Lost

NEW YORK (AP)— At least half a million German soldiers have been "lost" during the last 10 days, a German-language short wave broadcast from London said Saturday. The announcement, heard here by NBC, said the estimate was made in Paris.

The broadcast said authoritiative English circles claim that the German advance from Frankfort on the Oder, which recently effected the various attacks on the Aisne, had been repulsed with the loss of half the men.

Weapon Versatile

Anti-Aircraft Guns Sink Destroyer

BERLIN —(AP)— The anti-aircraft gun, while not a new weapon, has been applied by the Germans in a different triple-threat manner.

Aside from its fundamental function in air defense, it has been turned successfully on tanks and—according to German announcements Saturday—has been used to sink a French destroyer in the English Channel.

Germans say that destroyers are the easiest victims of ground cannon and Germany's fast-firing, 88-millimeter (roughly 3½-inch) anti-aircraft guns which have a horizontal range of at least eight miles.

New Airplane Warning Device Seen

Millions Asked To Perfect Coastal Defense System Of U. S. A.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A highly secret, supersensitive airplane detector which pierces all fog and darkness to give defending fighters a vital, 15-minute warning of approaching enemy aircraft has been perfected by the army for a chain of coastal lookout stations.

Designed to forestall such destruction as engulfed the Polish air force, before it got off the ground, the apparatus has been described by Brig. Gen. George V. Strong, in charge of army war plans, as "apparently far in advance of any similar equipment available to any of the belligerents abroad."

Experts hinted that aircraft engines could not be shielded or insulated against detection by the device, which reputedly picks up light waves or rays at distances of 50 miles or more.

General Strong and General George C. Marshall, chief of staff, gave congressional committee members only a glimpse of photographs and the sketchiest of information about the detector when they requested that $6,299,000 be included in the President's billion-dollar arms program for a vast airplane warning system.

PORT ISABEL BOAT IS HELD

Mexico Authorities Detain Vessel

(Complete details and pictures of Neptuna on Page 11.)

TAMPICO, Mexico—(AP)—Mexican port authorities announced Saturday that they were holding a 14-ton American fishing vessel, "The Neptune," for appearing in Mexican territorial waters without government permission. The ship was listed as being out of Port Isabel, Texas.

Authorities said Leon Davis, master of the vessel, declared he had not intended to fish in Mexican waters but was driven close to shore to take bearings because of poor visibility. Ship's papers named George Foote as owner.

Constguards reported they found nothing otherwise irregular, but brought the boat here for investigation. Port authorities had not announced disposition of the case Saturday night.

Ireland Organizes Volunteer Forces For Island Defense

DUBLIN—(AP)—Premier Eamon de Valera announced Saturday night the formation of a new volunteer force for "local security work" in Ireland (Eire).

"We are within the war zone," he said in an address to his Finnaa Fail party followers at a meeting in Galway City.

"We must prepare to defend the liberties we have won."

He said the new volunteer corps would be apart from the regular army and would be associated with the police force "to watch over the security of the people and to watch for the first sign of attack upon us."

Culberson In Race For Railroad Post

DALLAS— (AP) —Olin Culberson, the ninth candidate to officially enter the race for railroad commissioner, personally filed his application for a place on the ballot with state Democratic Chairman E. B. Germany Saturday and paid the $100 filing fee.

The application of Tom Beauchamp of Tyler as a candidate for judge of the court of criminal appeals also was received Saturday.

Experience At Helm Is Said Texas Need

DALLAS —(AP)— Because of the threat of war, Texas needs a governor experienced in statecraft, former Governor Jame E. Ferguson said here Saturday night.

Ferguson spoke at a rally in behalf of the gubernatorial candidacy of his wife, former Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. Mrs. Ferguson also addressed the gathering.

Postal Revenues Up

WASHINGTON—(AP)— Postmaster General Farley reported Saturday that postal revenues for April were $65,169,287, an increase of $4,500,000 over the same month a year ago.

French General Captured

The above picture, sent by radio from Berlin to New York, shows, according to the German caption, French General Henri Giraud, second from right, touching his distinctive French cap in salute as he faces his captors on German soil. General Giraud, who was captured early in the World War, but escaped, was in command of the French Ninth Army when captured.

Pink Pest Found

Hidalgo Has First 1940 Boll Worm

McALLEN—Discovery of a pink boll worm in a small cotton field near Weslaco is the first in Hidalgo county this season, officials of the United States Department of Agriculture boll worm eradication project announced here Saturday.

Four additional fields were found infested in Cameron county along the Military highway.

No worms have been found in Star and Willacy counties to date, the federal officials said. Inspections, however, will continue.

General Finds Many Flaws In U. S. Army

CAMP BEAUREGARD, La.—(AP)—Many serious flaws in American military operations and strategy were disclosed Saturday by Major General H. J. Brees in his appraisal of the army maneuvers just ended here.

One of the most important conclusions by the commanding general of the Eighth Corps Area and chief control officer of the war games in which 70,000 regulars participated was that lack of support by heavy weapons, including artillery, was "painfully evident."

Retail Sales Better

AUSTIN —(AP)— Despite a post-Easter lag, sales of 93 Texas department stores for the first third of 1940 were 3.5 per cent above those for the corresponding period of 1939, the University of Texas bureau of business research reported Saturday.

Methodists Ask U. S. To Stay Out Of War

ASHEVILLE, N. C. —(AP)— The Southeastern Jurisdictional Conference of the Methodist Church asked the United States Saturday to stay out of war.

A report adopted by the conference, representing nine state conferences, said:

"We must not yield to the fallacy that the United States must go into the war if it is to serve in establishing a new peace basis. We can serve best by staying out."

Landon Said Out Of Place In Talk

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Senator Byrnes (D-SC), an administration supporter, declared Saturday that Alf M. Landon had "misrepresented" the Republican party when he called on President Roosevelt to renounce any third term intention in order to strengthen the president's position for national defense.

500 Are Arrested In Paris Spy Raid

PARIS —(AP)— Police said Saturday night the Paris mop-up of suspected spies had resulted in arrest of more than 500 persons, including 334 foreigners who were sent to concentration camps.

Holland Subs Safe; Destroyer Is Sunk

LONDON —(AP)— The 1,316-ton Dutch destroyer Van Galen was bombed and sunk by the Germans during the invasion of the low countries, the admiralty said Saturday night, but two new Dutch submarines managed to reach England through a magnetic mine-field.

BORDER FENCE IS PROPOSED

Barrier To Mexico Is To Be Charged

SAN ANTONIO —(AP)— Talk of constructing an electrically charged fence along the Mexican border from Del Rio to Laredo, has been revived during the past few days, Harry Hornby, collector of customs for the San Antonio district, said Saturday.

Residents at various border points have become decidedly tense because of European developments and alleged fifth column activities in Mexico, Hornby said, and this has revived talk of constructing an eight or 10-foot metal wire fence for a distance of about 155 miles between Laredo and Del Rio.

Hornby said a number of aliens have been detained, investigated and released in recent days.

Alien Checkup Law Approved By Senate

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Fearing "Fifth Column" activities like those which undermined Norwegian and Dutch defenses, a Senate judiciary subcommittee Saturday approved legislation to check up on all aliens and punish persons attempting to shake the loyalty of America's defenders.

A provision requiring that approximately 4,000,000 aliens register and be fingerprinted at post offices throughout the country within the next four months was added by the subcommittee to a House approved bill against subversive activities.

Nazi Bombers Score On East Kent Coast

LONDON (Sunday) —(AP)— German warplanes were believed to have dropped bombs off the southeast coast of England early Sunday morning but no damage was reported.

In East Kent residents hurried into shelters and basements during an air raid alarm in effect for 105 minutes.

British fighter planes were seen flying out to sea and anti-aircraft guns were heard.

Garner Men To Brush Aside Troublemakers

DALLAS —(AP)— Myron G. Blalock of Marshall, head of the Garner for President organization in Texas said in a statement Saturday that "troublemakers and extremists" in the Democratic convention at Waco Tuesday will be "brushed aside."

Congress May Need To Hike Debt Limit

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Talk arose Saturday that the administration might send Congress a last-minute request to increase the $45,000,000,000 debt limit by $1,000,000,000, but Senate leaders still insisted that no action would be necessary at this session to finance President Roosevelt's emergency defense program

Bomber Crash Fatal To British Crewmen

LONDON —(AP)— A British bomber crashed and burned on a cricket field in a Midland town Saturday night, killing three occupants. The plane was thought to have struck a barrage balloon.

Lee O'Daniel Backs F.D.R. Defense Plan

Austin—(AP)—In his regular Saturday night broadcast, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel urged Texans to support President Roosevelt's defense program "100 per cent."

Brownwood Citizens Break Up Gathering Of Religious Group

BROWNWOOD —(AP)— A crowd of several hundred persons broke up a meeting of religious sect here Saturday. Members of the sect had been selling literature on the streets.

The crowd formed around the sect's regular meeting hall. Police accompanied three of the sect's leaders to the police station, then back to the hall, where the group was asked to disperse. The request was obeyed.

Interstate Houses Receive F. D. Talk

HARLINGEN — The message of President F. D. Roosevelt, Sunday at 8:30 p. m., will be received in 11 Interstate Theatres in the Rio Grande Valley, Manager Jack King said here Saturday.

Interstate showhouses are the Arcadia, Strand and Rialto here; Capitol and Queen at Brownsville; Rivoli and Palace at San Benito; Ritz at Weslaco; State at Mercedes; Palace and Queen at McAllen.

Slayer Insane?

Mrs. Burleson Said Mad By Doctor

COLUMBIA, S. C.—(AP)—A city health officer who sent Mrs. May Walker Burleson to a mental institution four days after she shot and killed her former husband's second wife, testified at her murder trial here Saturday he considered her insane.

The tall, matronly, 51-year-old defendant, an artist and former suffragette leader, walked into a hotel cafeteria here March 8 and shot the second Mrs. Burleson, wife of Col. Richard C. Burleson, U. S. A., with a rusty pistol she held in a black bag.

BRITISH PREPARE FOR EXPECTED NAZI ATTACK

Boys Under Conscription Age Called Up; Effect Of Dictatorial System Felt

Factories To Work Full Time This Sunday For First Time Since World War

LONDON—(AP)—Britain, jarred into militancy from its centuries-old groove of ease and empire, called Saturday night upon its peace-born generation, boys of 18 to 19½, to fill the gaps in home defense forces against the danger of invasion.

The war office asked for volunteers from the age groups just under the conscription range after German bombs thumped on English soil over a 200-mile stretch of coast and while German guns echoed from just across the channel.

Recruits gathered by Saturday night's call will have to enlist for the duration of the war in home defense battalions. When they reach the conscription age of 20, however, they will be transferred to training units for service in the field army, wherever it may be. Now it is fighting with the French and Belgians in Flanders.

The volunteers for home defense battalions are distinct from the thousands who are enlisting as "parashoots" to defend Britain against parachute invaders.

The leaders of Britain's new dictatorial system, who have pledged the nation to fight to the last gun, the last sovereign and the last man, also turned intense pressure upon organized labor.

Prime Minister Winston Churchill, in a letter to the trades union executive council, demanded a "supreme effort" by workers to defend the country and win the war, telling them of the gravity of the situation "deepens hour by hour."

Conscription Endorsed

The conference endorsed the nation's conscription of labor and

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property and promised the army the work would be forthcoming to make "the arms and munitions you need."

The labor ministry set up a supply board to mobilize industrial manpower under the totalitarian law, adopted this week.

The change from a nation of quiet green fields and peaceful towns becomes complete on Sunday, when Britain works and prays. For the first time since the World War, factories will hum on full schedule while churchgoers, at the express command of their king, implore God for a victorious peace.

That will be the first real effect of the totalitarian legislation of last week which uprooted tradition and put every Briton and all he owns at the command of the endangered state.

Visible Precautions

More visible and audible are the precautions against invasion, the calling up of the two-millionth man, scores of arrests which have resulted from the government's drive on "fifth columnists," harsh censorship which takes away the news of the mighty battle of Flanders, and calls from the nation's leadership for "confidence."

Saturday military men described the situation on the channel edge of the continent as "very grave and very confused" but held out hope that a joint Allied action would beat back Germany's iron cavalry and rip apart the base of the Reichswehr salient which stretches across northern France to the Straits of Dover.

With ammunition and airplane factories working throughout the weekend with the greatest activity of the war, 326,259 more men were called to arms to aid the hard-pressed British expeditionary force and fill the ranks of the navy and Royal Air Force.

Over 2,000,000 Mobilized

This registration of 27-year-olds pushed the number of men under mobilization past the 2,000,000 mark.

Early morning German bombings from the North Riding (district) of Yorkshire to East Anglia and Essex covered more than 200 miles of English coast, injuring 11 civilians and awakening the nation fully to awareness it is bearing the weight of war.

While the Yorkshire bombings were believed aimed at steel factories, the raids further south were considered intended to shake the English morale, but there was no sign of the loss of quiet confidence that is the hall-mark of the Briton.

Deprived by a new censorship edict of even the names of places where his army is fighting, the man in the street accepted the situation with the view, "there's a big battle on at last and the French are going to give 'em what-for. When it comes, the news will be good."

"Local defence volunteers" flocked from towns and farms by the thousands to give their spare time as "parashoots" against German parachutists.

By nightfall it was estimated nearly 400,000 had registered.

LEAVING SUNDAY

MISSION — Mrs. J. S. Rodwell of Fort Bliss, El Paso, leaves Sunday to return home after a visit of several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Drummond, in Rio Grande City and with other relatives in Mission, her former home.

OBITUARY

G. DE LA VINA

EDINBURG—Gustavo de la Vina, 27, member of a pioneer Edinburg family, died here Saturday at 4:35 p. m. after a long illness.

De la Vina had been a teacher at Roosevelt school, McAllen, the past four years. He was born in Edinburg in 1912, was graduated from the local high school, received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Texas A. and I. College, and later attended National University at Mexico City.

Funeral services will be held here from the Buen Pastor Methodist church, Sunday, at 5 p. m., with Rev. Raul Salizar officiating. Burial will be at Hillcrest Memorial Park, under direction of Skinner's Mortuary.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. de la Vina; the wife, Mrs. Irma de la Vina; a son, Gustavo, Jr.; three brothers, Juan, Jose and Robert de la Vina; two sisters, Misses Irene and Ernestine de la Vina; and other relatives, all of Edinburg.

CHARLES T. A. HOWE

BROWNSVILLE—Charles T. A. Howe, 55, died here at 1:30 a. m. Saturday after a short illness. The body will be forwarded to Greenfield, Mass., for burial, by Darling Funeral Home.

Mr. Howe had resided in Brownsville for two years and nine months. He was an agent here for the La Salle Extension University, and operated a small cigar store on Elizabeth street.

Surviving him here is the widow, Mrs. Roberta B. Howe.

FOXY FURS—Valued at $4,000, this collarless hip-length spring jacket designed by Dein-Bacher has four platina fox skins worked together to emphasize spine line markings. Reverse treatment in sleeves eliminates shaggy shoulders.

DAR Rio Grande Chapter Luncheon Is Scheduled

McALLEN—As the last business meeting [illegible] club season members of the Rio Grande Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will lunch Monday at 12:30 p.m. at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

The season will be formally closed June 14 at the annual Flag Day breakfast in which all Valley chapters will participate.

Mrs. J. G. Decker will report on good citizenship awards distributed by the chapter among outstanding high school graduates recently.

Installation of officers will complete the program feature.

ATTEND GRADUATION

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Benavides, Sr., left Saturday night by rail for Mexia to visit Dr. and Mrs. S. I. Benavides, Jr., there. They will go to Commerce on Monday to attend graduation exercises at East Texas State Teachers College where a son, Anthony Albert Benavides, will receive the degree of bachelor of arts.

Valley Memorial Services To Be Staged

FRENCH OUST 15 GENERALS FOR FAILURE

Weygand Organizing New Defenses

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a junction and cut off the German salient.

Between the main Allied forces, their advance guards struck again and again into the German spearhead thrust westward to the sea and pointed toward the British Isles.

Communications Harassed

The Allied advance units harassed the German line of communication.

The outcome of the Flanders battle depends on the Allied effort to close the breach and pocket the Germans on the coast.

The gap between the northern and central Allied armies, originally described as extending from the Somme to Arras, now is bounded by the Peronne and Bapaume sectors.

The northern Allied force consists of French, British and Belgian (here one word was censored) troops holding a 170-mile line starting (here another word was censored) somewhere in Belgium and circling south and west through Valenciennes, Cambrai, Bapaume and St. Omer to the sea.

The central French army maintained a 200-mile front on the Somme and Aisne Rivers across Northern French. (Here four lines were censored).

The Germans fought on a winner-take-all basis along the Channel coast, running the risk of complete disaster if they should fail to consolidate their corridor position.

Until now the light mechanized German forces and infantry had formed the spearhead. The movement of heavy forces from the rear indicated the crucial struggles was near.

House Guest Is Honored By Coffee

RIO GRANDE CITY—Mrs. James S. Rodwell of Fort Bliss, guest this month of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Drummond, was named honoree at a coffee given Wednesday morning by Mrs. Bascom A. Spillar and Mrs. John H. Clopton at the Spillar home.

Vases of marigolds and pastel gladiolas were used in the living room while the conterpiece of the refreshment table was a silver vase of giant zinnias. The table, covered with an embroidered grass linen cloth, was set with silver and crystal service. Mrs. Wm. Drummond and Mrs. J. S. Leonard served.

The guests included Mrs. McFarland Cockrill, Mrs. Wm. Geo. McKay, Mrs. Richard H. Darrell, Mrs. O. D. Wells, Mrs. Chas. V. Bromley, Mrs. Thomas D. Roberts, Mrs. Dan Searcy, and Mrs. Melton, all of Fort Ringgold, and Mrs. Drummond, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. Florence J. Scott, Mrs. Fred A. Hornaday, Jr., and Misses Shirley Brooks and Robin Brooks.

Mrs. E. E. Daughtrey entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club this week at her home in Roma when Mrs. Frank Lockhead and Mrs. Theo Carr were guests. Mrs. H. M. Wood, and Mrs. G. I. McWhorter were winners of high scores.

A salad course was served.

Las Palmas Bridge Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John A. Pope, Jr. High scores were won by Mrs. Pope and Mrs. Keach and refreshments of salad and cake were served.

Shower Courtesy Honors Mrs. Rowlen

RANGERVILLE—Mrs. H. B. Rowlen was honored with a shower given this week at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. D. Minor. Games and contests were enjoyed in a setting that noted the pink and blue theme and refreshments were served.

Enjoying the afternoon with the honoree were Mesdames Morris Holbert, C. H. Holbert, C. L. Kaigler, S. T. Minor, H. F. Minor, Mike Buffo, S. B. Izard, J. L. Izard, Wilborn Peters, J. M. Passmore, and E. C. Wallace and Miss Jemma Buffo.

Gives Senior Recital

DENTON—Miss Arnetta Stewart of Brownsville, music education major and student of piano, gave her senior recital Monday evening. Miss Stewart opened her program with Beethoven's "Sonata Opus 10, No. 3" and two of Brahms' compositions. Following "Footsteps in the Snow" and "Garden in the Rain" by Debussy, Miss Stewart played an original composition, "Brownsville Herald."

Graduates Honored

MISSION — Graduating members of the Dunlap Club were honored Wednesday evening with a dancing party when the club entertained at the home of Miss Dorothy Balthrope.

We can usually struggle along without most of the things we want.

Oklahoma Students Given 2,000 Mile Trip As Graduation Present; Enjoy Valley Tour

Delighted with borderland were the students of New Liberty Consolidated School, located near Sayre, in western Oklahoma, who paused in Brownsville Saturday while on a 2,000-mile trip that had carried them as far west as New Mexico.

Group Of 22 Spends Saturday In Surf At Del Mar

BROWNSVILLE — Visiting the Valley is just about as fine a graduation present as anyone could want, New Liberty Consolidated school students of Sayre, Okla., opined Saturday.

Traveling in an ordinary school bus, the Oklahomans paused here on a 2,000-mile odyssey that had carried them as far west as Carlsbad, N. M., and the Pecos.

They crossed the Mexican border three times: Del Rio, Laredo and Brownsville.

And on Saturday, the students headed their bus to Del Mar beach, along the Gulf of Mexico coast, to bathe in the surf and catch-up with the sun tan.

The entire trip cost them very little. The operating expenses were paid from money earned the past school year out of plays, cake walks and other projects.

They left Sayre last Monday, and expect to return possibly Monday night. The group, which included 22 students and four adults, spent Friday night at Palm Courts here

Spending the same night at Palm Courts was another traveling student party. The second group, which included 22, hailed from Fairy, Texas. They headed northward early Saturday.

The New Liberty school group, which doesn't plan to leave the Valley until Sunday, is chaperoned by M. E. Fariss, superintendent, and Mrs. Fariss; L. L. Weaver, school board member, and Mrs. J. C. Landtroop.

Kentcky Man Earns Summer Living By Combing Floor Of Large River For Lost Logs; Soaking Improves

AP Feature Service

BOONEVILLE, Ky.—John Littrell earns a summer livelihood combing the floor of the Kentucky River for lost logs.

The logs were lost many years ago off rafts when the stream was a busy lumber trade channel. The years under water have improved some types, particularly white oak which hardens with each under-water year. Softer woods—pine and sycamore—soften, and walnut shales off if soaked too long.

Littrell began his strange "fishing" business after his enterprises as a river huckster and coal collier ended in 1925.

The first step is to locate logs. This is done from barges pushed by a rugged tow-boat Littrell built. This particular phase of operation is called "proguing."

The crew uses a 20 to 30-foot length of pine. One end is a spike with which the operator attempts to pierce the high spot on the log.

Then with another pipe, filed down to a sharp edge, the proguer plugs the log, much as one would a watermelon. From the plug, about an inch and a half in diameter, the type of wood is determined. If the log is deemed worth raising, then the real work begins.

The log is speared by a spud, or harpoon, the shank end of which fits into a length of pipe. A cable, attached to a windlass, passes through a hole in the center of the spud, just below the collar, and by this means the log is raised.

Then after the log has been brought to the surface, it is 'worried" to the nearest bank to remain until Littrell picks it up on his return trip at the end of summer operations and brings it to his sawmill near this little Owsley county town in eastern Kentucky.

The log-salvaging business isn't as profitable as it once was. Influx of cheaper lumber to compete with Littrell's seasoned oak has cut into his market.

Alumni Association Gift To School From Elsa-Edcouch Graduates

EDCOUCH—As a gift from the graduating class to the Edcouch-Elsa high school, seniors sponsored organization of an alumni organization at a banquet held this week at the high school cafeteria. Members of the class of '40 were hosts. Spring blossoms in multi colors decorated the hall.

Bob Hughes, president of the Senior class, was toastmaster and also was chairman when the organization was carried out. The following officers were named:

Floyd Saufferer, president; Curtis McClaugherty, secretary; Corenne Burke, Kathlyn Mitchell, Bob Hughes, Elnora Gafner and Lowell McClaugherty, program committee.

Annual meeting date was set for a few days after Christmas in order that all ex-students might attend the annual gatherings.

Roll call of classes from 1935 to 1939 was carried out. Clovis Shepherd accompanied by Julia Hill played saxophone solos. Bob Hughes made the talk presenting the Alumni Association as a gift and Supt. Joe Wilson accepted in behalf of Edcouch-Elsa high school graduates, past and future.

Ex - students who were guests included: Elizabeth Yarbro, Elsa, Frances Gilman, Edcouch, Mrs. Florence Molder, Edinburg; Fairy Lee Minyard, Edcouch; Evelyn Murray, Elsa; Earline Willeford, Edcouch; T. L. George, La Villa; Dorothy Moore, Kathlyn and June Mitchell, Opal Hughes, Elnora Gafner, and Earline Thomas, Edcouch; Janett Lugg, Garnet Bell, Edna Merriman, Elsa; Ruth Vittetoe, Edcouch, Rowena Sims, Edinburg, Louise Peterson, Edinburg; Maurice Faidley, Curtis McClaugherty, Floyd Saufferer, Charles Williams.

Faculty guests included Mary Alice Gay and Hoke McKim, senior class sponsors, Supt. Joe H. Wilson, C. A. Whittle, Mrs. Fern Lane; and Miss Elizabeth Gilbert.

Members of the graduating class who were present were:

Julia Hill, Corenne Burke, Shirley Beaver, Marjie Graves, Marie Nattinger, Ruth Overhue, Sarah Williams, Bob Hughes, Raybon Thomas, Lowell McClaugherty, John D. Brown, James Roser, Collins Stovall, Melvin Odom.

CLINIC OPENS IN HARLINGEN

Dysentery Toll Is Placed At 44

HARLINGEN—As doctors estimated a known 44 had died from the effects of a dysentery epidemic prevalent here since early April, the city made plans Saturday to stamp out the plague.

Mayor Hugh Ramsey said a clinic will open Monday at 2 p.m. at the Alamo school on F street, for sick children of parents who cannot afford to buy medicine or services of doctors.

Meanwhile a survey, although only partially completed, had shown "a considerable number of cases" in Latin American quarters, and Mayor Ramsey said every effort would be made to stamp out the dysentery.

Plans were also afoot to provide sleeping places for babies protected with screen wire, the work to be done by NYA labor. This plan was to be carried out on the assumption that existence of the dysentery might be connected with prevalence of flies and other insects in unscreened houses.

Clinic at the Alamo school is to be opened with the cooperation of the city, doctors, nurses, and the Latin American Garden Club group. Ramsey urged all those who cannot afford to pay for medical treatment to take advantage of the clinic, and said for those unable to be moved help would be sent from the clinic.

TO LEAVE MONDAY

EDINBURG—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Oliver and Neville Haynes plan to leave Monday for Alpine where Mr. and Mrs. Oliver will visit for two weeks and Neville will spend the summer. Neville plans to attend New Mexico A. and M. College at Messilla Park, New Mexico, next fall.

Texas Golf Pros Seek Big Purse

BEAUMONT—(AP)—Texas' professional golfers will be shooting for $3,000 in prize money in the annual state PGA Open tournament at the Beaumont Country Club July 12 and 13.

The PGA test will be preceded by a pro-amateur tournament on July 11 and will be followed by the annual Texas Cup matches on July 14 between the state's leading pro and amateur teams.

The first 36 holes of the 72-hole PGA Open play on July 12 also will serve as the qualifying of Texas' professionals for the National PGA tournament. In this first round pros and amateurs will be segregated in pairings.

For the final 36 holes on July 13 the pros and amateurs will be grouped in threesomes according to scores in the opening round.

In the Texas Cup matches, doubles will be played in the morning and singles in the afternoon. The pro team will be comprised of 10 low scorers in the qualifying round for the National PGA. The 10 amateur opponents will be selected by the amateurs themselves and sports writers.

All members of the Texas PGA and amateurs with a handicap of five or less are eligible for the Open tournament.

Gay Cruise Setting In 'Til We Meet Again'

A ship was docking at Honolulu and a gay welcoming crowd was on hand. Men and women, some of them decorated with flowers, all wearing bright colored leis about their necks, waved and shouted greetings.

Apparently it was the haphazard, joyous confusion of a ship's arrival. Actually, it was the well ordered maneuvering of a motion picture company. "Honolulu" was the boat deck setting at Warner Bros. studio. The arrival scene was being filmed for the picture "'Til We Meet Again."

The men and women wearing he gay colored leis know exactly what they were supposed to do, and when they were supposed to do it. All but one of them—a dark haired slip of a girl dressed in white. She seemed lost. She'd start one way, then turn and run in the other direction.

"That little girl in white worries me," a tall atmosphere actor confided to a companion. "She's all mixed up, and if somebody doesn't put her wise, the director is liable to crack down on her."

His companion looked at him oddly. "You're new to this company aren't you? Well, I wouldn't worry about that little girl. She's Merle Oberon, the star of the picture."

Valley Youth Plans To Visit In Valley

EDINBURG — Terry B. Bentley, who is a student at Harvard University is to arrive in early June to visit his mother, Mrs. Terry Bentley, and attend the wedding of his sister, Ruth, and Cecil Roberts of Pharr.

Mr. Bentley will sail from New York June 14 to conduct a tour in South America, principally in Buenos Aires, Rio de Janeiro, and Montevideo. He will receive his master's degree from the Harvard school of law and diplomacy this year and will study for his doctor's degree at the University of Texas next year.

WEEK TO SEE WAR DEAD OF AREA HONORS

Similar Events Are Set Thursday

HARLINGEN — Memory of war dead will be honored by Valley citizens at programs to be held during the coming week, some services being scheduled Sunday while others will be held Thursday, Memorial Day.

The Hidalgo County Forty and Eight is sponsoring a memorial service for war dead at the People's Church in San Juan at 11 a. m. Sunday. Legionnaires will enter the church in a body at 10:50 a. m. Rev. Beaty Smith, pastor, will preach a memorial sermon and there will be special music from a 20 voice choir and solos from H. D. Munal.

Weslaco legionnaires plan to attend services in a body Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian Church where Rev. Archie Reed, the pastor, is a war veteran.

Illustrated Sermon

Another Sunday memorial service will be that conducted at the Four Square Gospel Church on the highway east of Donna. Rev. C. O. Jefcoat, the pastor, said that Rev. Elsie Jefcoat, co-pastor and known as "the little preacher" will give an illustrated sermon on "Lest We Forget." Children in costumes will have part in a preliminary service.

Mercedes will be active both Sunday and Thursday. All members of the legion and auxiliary will attend services at the First Methodist Church Sunday morning when Rev. J. W. Albritten will preach on the subject, "Have They Died In Vain?" The services begin at 10:30 a. m.

All ex-service men and auxiliary members at Mercedes will meet at the city hall at 9:15 a. m. and go in a body to the various cemeteries for decorating graves of war dead. Rev. Charles Tucker, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, assisted by Dr. G. G. Eddy, legion post chaplain, will be in charge of the services at the grave. An American flag will be placed on the grave of each dead veteran.

State Senator Rogers Kelley of Edinburg will address the annual Memorial Day gathering in McAllen next Thursday morning, officials of the American Legion post announced Saturday.

The entire program this year will be conducted at Rose Lawn cemetery, instead of at a local church and at the cemetery too, Rev. Fred Hamner and O. C. Emory, members of the arrangements committee for the observance, revealed.

The program will open at 9:30 a. m., with the high school band providing music during the assembly period. The group will sing the national anthem, and Rev. Hamner will offer the invocation. Bill Doyle of McAllen will offer a vocal solo, and Rev. J. Beaty Smith of San Juan will read "Flanders Field."

Rep. Homer Leonard of McAllen will introduce Sen. Kelley for the principal address.

After the address, the Legion post's firing squad, of which H. H. Rothe is captain, will fire a salute to the veterans of all wars who are buried at Rose Lawn.

To Decorate Graves

Decoration of the graves will follow, with members of the local Sons of the Legion squadron taking wreaths to the marked graves of war dead. The youths will stand at the graves while taps are sounded.

Business firms will close their doors for observance of Memorial Day at Mission where Fred H. Morgan Post of the American Legion and its auxiliary will conduct a program at the legion hall at 10 a.m., followed by a service at Laurel Hill cemetery at 11 a. m. Graves will be decorated. The public is invited.

San Benito legionnaires hope to inaugurate a series of annual Sunday church services in memory of war dead. A special program has been arranged for the morning service Sunday at the First Methodist Church. Legionnaires and others will attend in a body. The war veterans also will decorate the graves of war dead Thursday.

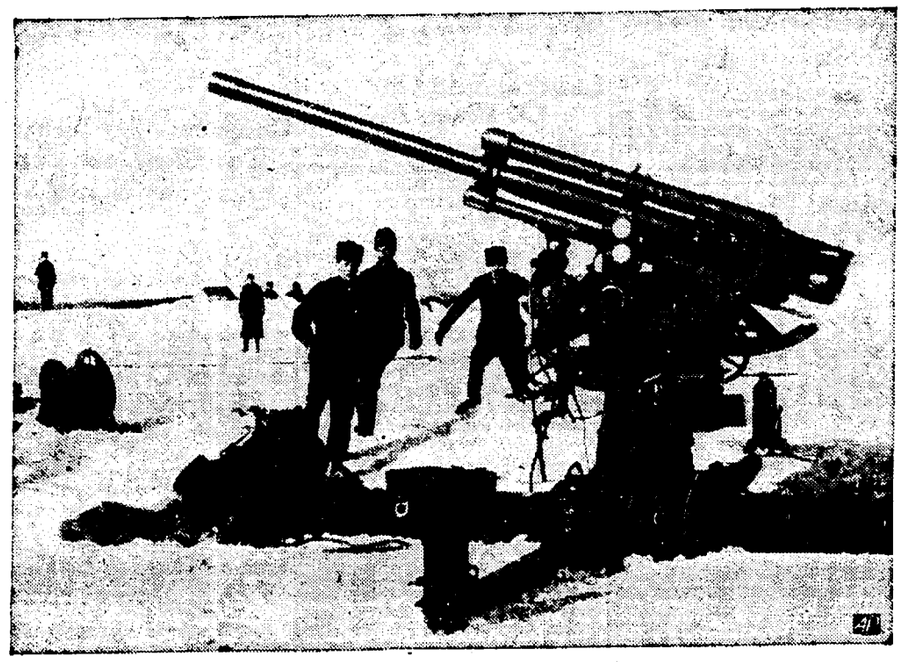
Brunch Bridge Alamo Event

ALAMO—Mrs. M. Mannering assisted by her daughter, Marie, entertained with a brunch bridge Thursday morning in honor of her daughter, Glen. The guests were classmates of the honoree in the graduating class. The class colors of blue and white were carried out with blue plumago and shasta daisies placed about the rooms and on the snowy breakfast table.

The guest list included Misses Alta Marie Smith, Betty Platt, Louise Sorensen of San Juan, Ella Beth Melton, Ruth Elizabeth Bolling, Erline Murphy, Eva Lucas, Ida Frances Farris of Pharr and Janette Van Denbark, Mary Louise Kastler, Lois Cowley and Glen Mannering of Alamo.

Lois Cowley received high score award and Louise Sorensen second high.

Charles C. Sperry of the Texas Predatory Animal Control Association, after studying the food habits of crippled coyotes, says that two of the maimed creatures will destroy as much livestock as three sound coyotes.



SWEDEN SCANS THE SKIES—"Watch and wait" is the motto of Sweden, and here's an anti-aircraft gun near Visby on the island of Gotland, which lies south of capital, Stockholm.

Mexico Officers Seek To Discover Armed Band After Trotsky Attack

'BAD PICTURE'

Testimnoy of Rear Admiral John H. Towers, shown above on stand, chief of U. S. Naval Aeronautics, brought sharp debate over possible suppression of a "very bad picture." The group finally released testimony showing that of the Navy's 1367 combat planes, only 192 were less than one year old.

LEGION HITS 'MINUTE MEN'

Unit Held Contrary To Constitution

McALLEN—Members of the McAllen American Legion post issued a formal statement Saturday publicly denying any connection with the "Minute Men organization" recently formed here.

In a resolution passed at Friday night's regular meeting, the Legion termed organization of the Minute Men "contrary to the principles" of the American constitution.

Formation of the Minute Men to guard the city during the time of an emergency or as a defense measure was launched the past week by the local Veterans of Foreign Wars post.

The Legion's resolution follows:

"Whereas, the constitution of the American Legion provides that this organization shall uphold and defend the constitution of the United States, maintain law and order and perpetuate a 100 per cent Americanism;

"And whereas, certain incidents have recently taken place in this community that are contrary to these principles;

"Therefore, be it resolved, that this organization, reaffirm our desire to cooperate with any legally constituted authority to maintain those principles of democracy as provided in the constitution of the United States.

Clean-Up

Boy Scouts To Aid Census Drive

BROWNSVILLE—More than 100 Boy Scouts, members of four Brownsville troops, will launch a house-to-house check-up Monday to determine if any persons have not been enumerated by census-takers, it was announced Saturday at the chamber of commerce.

In addition to the Boy Scouts, other persons will also take part in the final "clean-up" drive aimed at assuring that Brownsville gets its full count in the current census.

The chamber of commerce is posting $25 in prizes for the Boy Scouts. The troop which turns in the greatest number of names will get $10 in cash, the troop with second largest number $7.50, third $5 and fourth $2.50.

Sweden Is Warned To Be On Her Guard

STOCKHOLM—(AP)—Mighty nations are using "all possible means to gain their ends" and Sweden must be prepared to resist any attempt to violate her liberty, Defense Minister P. E. Skold declared Saturday night.

The minister addressed a huge open air meeting to promote raising of a 500,000,000 kroner (about $120,000,000) defense plan.

Two Presbyterian Churches To Meet

MERCEDES — The Presbyterian churches of Weslaco and Mercedes will join in a meeting at 6 p.m. Sunday in the grove on the north shore of Lake Progreso, for a musical program of special numbers.

The principal speaker will be Miss Cichran of San Benito, a noted naturalist of San Benito. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

British Ship With Refugees Said Lost

LONDON—(AP)—A British trawler with its crew and "many Belgian refugees" is feared lost as a result of enemy action while en route to England, an authoritative source source said Friday night. It was said the loss of life was not known.

REVOLUTION MOVEMENT IS NOT BREWING

Inspection Tour Of State Is Made

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—Spurred by the direct orders of President Cardenas, the capital's police and detective forces Saturday focused all their resources on rounding up the machinegun band which made a spectacular attempt on the life of Leon Trotsky, former war commissar of Soviet Russia.

Police authorities reported they had found no clues to the identity of the group of more than 20 men who broke into Trotsky's walled-home in nearby Coyoacan Friday and, fleeing after the attempt, kidnaped one of the exile's secretary-guards, Sheldon Harte, of New York City.

Examination of Trotsky's bomb-blasted garden and bullet-riddled bedroom, where he and his wife had huddled on the floor during the attack, had produced no tangible evidence, the police said.

Taking up Trotsky's charge that "Joseph Stalin was directly responsible," conservative political circles declared the bold crime was conclusive proof that a Nazi-Communist fifth column was operating in Mexico.

Some federal deputies said they feared it meant a reign of terror was about to be initiated in the country, while a Communist leader declared it was a plot of reactionary domestic and foreign interests to discredit Mexico.

WAR DEPARTMENT BACKS CAMACHO FOR PRESIDENT

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— General Felipe Rico, chief of staff of the War Department, reported Saturday that confidential army missions had just returned from inspection tours of every state in the republic with word that there was no evidence a "large-scale revolutionary movement" was brewing.

On the contrary, General Rico asserted, the officers comprising the missions said the people at large indicated they would support the pro-government candidate, General Manuel Avila Camacho, because he represented continuation of President Cardenas progressive administration.

Agents Said 'Active'

In an interview, the chief of staff also minimized the possibility that a "fifth column" of Nazi-Communist agents could foment a serious disturbance of Mexico's internal peace.

General Rico, who is in charge of the War Department's military intelligence division, agreed that agents "of all powers" were active in Mexico because of the "strategic importance" of the nation's proximity to the United States and to the Panama Canal.

But he insisted that the army had the situation "fully under control and that there is no concern that any of this activity will reach the point of endangering the United States or any other country in this hemisphere."

"The future of Mexico is linked with the future of the United States and of the other American nations," he declared.

Loyal to Government

It was learned the military intelligence division had several alleged German-Russian operatives under surveillance, but that none had been apprehended.

In discussing the army's determination to check any foreign inspired uprising in Mexico, General Rico also emphasized that the army was "united behind and loyal to the government" and could be relied upon to discharge any task that might confront it this summer.

Concurring in the widespread opinion that the July presidential elections might be followed by armed disturbances, General Rico declared that if they occurred they would be "sporadic and quickly crushed."

Swine Show

McAllen To Sponsor Summer Exhibit

McALLEN—A Hidalgo County swine show will be held here this summer, probably in connection with the annual 4-H Club encampment, Ed McGinnis, chamber of commerce agricultural committee chairman, announced Saturday.

W. H. Gardner, assistant county farm agent, will cooperate in staging the show. Gardner plans to hold an encampment of about 150 farm club boys here in the late summer and McGinnis proposes to use some funds left from the Dairy Day, contributed by the Rotary, Lions and Kiwanis clubs, for prizes in the hog show. Details will be worked out at a later date. The McAllen chamber and farm agent's office conducted a swine show at McAllen two years ago.

Port Isabel's Sea Scouts Have Bridge

PORT ISABEL—Sea Scouts held a bridge of honor at the elementary school house last week. Those receiving badges were: Apprentice rank, Jack Hickman, Dee McKay, Roy Green, and Ernesto Silguerro. Ordinary rank, Morris Nesmith, James and Fred LaRoche, Herbert Williams, Juan Tamayo, and Joe Henry Brown. E. W. Catcora reached able rank. Merit badges were, cooking and seamanship to E. W. Catcora; cooking to Joe Henry Brown.

ADMITS THEFTS

Natalie Savage, above, 28, was arrested on a Santa Monica, Calif., street corner, and admitted to police, they said, that she committed several burglaries and forgeries at the behest of Marion Vincent Marche Goddard, 28, self-styled mystic of Hollywood. Goddard, his wife and another young woman have been arrested in the case.

DEATH ORDER FACES DELAY

Martinez Mandate Fails To Arrive

EDINBURG—Scheduled pronouncement of the death sentence upon Ascension (Chon) Martinez, one of several defendants in the celebrated "Donna murder case," was delayed here Saturday when the state court of criminal appeals' mandate failed to arrive.

The district attorney's office received unofficial reports that Kennedy Smith, attorney for Martinez, has filed a motion for stay of mandate before the state court. The motion may be acted upon during the coming week. Smith seeks to appeal the case to the United States Supreme Court.

Since the Austin court last Wednesday ruled against a motion for rehearing in the case, local court attaches expected the mandate for sentence to arrive Saturday, in which case Martinez would have heard his death ordered in criminal district court here, where he was originally convicted.

Martinez is the second of six defendants accused of murdering an unidentified man and woman on the banks of the Rio Grande below Donna in December, 1934, after each of the men had criminally attacked the woman. The first to be convicted, Placido Handy, has been sentenced to death in the electric chair at Huntsville June 10.

One of the other four defendants turned state's witness and was granted immunity. He is Jose Rodriguez. Others awaiting trial are Braulio Yanez, Emiliano Martinez and Bonifacio Martinez. The latter two are brothers of Ascencion. A seventh defendant was never captured.

One Of Four

Mrs. Taylor Holds Unusual Post

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Volney W. Taylor, chairman of the Housing Authority of the City of Brownsville, is one of four women who head housing authorities in the United States, a national USHA magazine revealed Saturday.

Of the four U. S. women who are chairmen of housing authorities, two of them are Texans, it was said.

The women chairmen, besides Mrs. Taylor, are: Mrs. Otto Nordwald, El Paso; Mrs. Ruby Black, Lamar county, Miss., and Mrs. Blanche Cronin, Hamtranck, Mich.

"Although women housing authority chairmen total only four out of more than 415, still to mothers, teachers, nurses, clubwomen and others throughout the nation belongs much of the credit for the success of the public housing movement," the article stated.

Mrs. Taylor, for a long time, was the only woman housing chairman in the United States.

Texas' BPW Groups To Become Of Age

DALLAS—(AP)—The Texas Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs comes of age next month when it gathers here for its annual convention 21 years after its founding.

Eight hundred women are expected for the meeting June 7, 8 and 9, representing a membership which has grown to 3,600 in 88 clubs. When the federation was organized, five clubs, representing Dallas, Fort Worth, El Paso, Houston and Austin, were included.

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Two Valley Youths Will Take Vows

Priesthood Rites To Be Read June 2

McALLEN—For the first time in the history of McAllen and Mission, two young men will be ordained into the priesthood of the Roman Catholic church June 2 in the chapel of Our Lady of the Lake College at San Antonio.

Rev. Emmett Lee Walsh, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Walsh of McAllen, and Rev. John Leo Busch,

EMMETT LEE WALSH

24, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Busch of Mission, two in a class of eight to receive the last in the church's sacrament of holy orders, are the first young men ever to be ordained to the Catholic priesthood from their respective cities.

Their ordination in the Congregation of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate marks the finals of 12 years of preparatory study which covered the field of Catholic theology, history of the church and the state and logic, science and scores of related subjects.

Father Walsh and Father Busch will read their first mass at the chapel of the monastery of Our Lady of Charity at San Antonio, Monday, June 3.

Father Walsh will sing his first solemn high mass at Sacred Heart church here Sunday, June 9, at 10 a.m. Rev. Charles Webb, O. M. I., of Our Lady of the Lake college, will be deacon; Father Edward Murray of St. Anthony's college, San Antonio, will be sub-deacon; Father Frank Kilday, arch priest;

JOHN LEO BUSCH

Father John Busch, master of ceremonies; and Father Burns of St. Anthony's college will preach the sermon.

Father Busch will read his first mass in the chapel of the De Mazenod scholasticate, sub-deacon; 3, and on Tuesday will sing his first solemn high mass at St. Paul's Catholic Church in Mission at 9:30 a.m. with Father Emil Platte, pastor, arch-priest; Father Chatillon of Mercy hospital, Brownsville, deacon; Brother Herbert Hooks of De Mazenod scholasticate ,sub-deacon; and Father Antoine of Harlingen, speaker.

At 1 p.m. of the day Father Busch sings his first high mass, a banquet will be held at the parish hall in Mission for visiting priests and relatives. A reception for his friends will get under way at the home of his parents, south of Mission, from 7 p.m. until 10 p.m. of the same day.

Father Walsh will be presented at a reception at the Casa de Palmas Hotel June 9.

Trials Slated

Donna Murder Case Will Be Heard

EDINBURG—Trials of four other defendants in the Donna "river murder case" will be set in 92nd criminal district court "as soon as practicable," District Attorney Tom Hartley said Thursday.

Texas court of criminal appeals Wednesday denied a motion for rehearing in the conviction of Ascension (Chon) Martinez, second of the defendants to be convicted, sentenced to death and the sentence affirmed by the highest criminal court of the state. The first was Placido Handy, now awaiting execution in the death house at the Texas penitentiary. He is to be electrocuted June 10.

Kennedy Smith, Raymondville, attorney for Martinez, said he intended to take the case "as far as possible" on appeal, to the United States Supreme Court if necessary.

'Super Explosive' Fails To Bother Any Of Tethered Goats

BARLOW SAYS FAILURE HAD TO BE PROVED

Flop Is Admitted By Its Inventor

ABERDEEN, Md.—(AP)—Inventor Lester P. Barlow's liquid oxygen-carbon "super explosive" apparently failed as an instrument of death in a test of live goats at Aberdeen proving grounds Saturday.

A 1,000-pound charge of the explosive which Barlow had claimed radiated lethal "vacuum waves" over a wide radius failed to kill a single one of a herd of 98 goats tethered at distances ranging from 200 to 1,000 feet from the point where the bomb was set off.

Observers who went out on the testing field after the explosion said they could not find one dead goat and Barlow admitted the experiment had flopped.

'Had To Find Out'

"I'm licked on it," he said, "but I had to try it to find out."

One big black goat in the line closest to the point of the explosion escaped unscathed. Not even his whiskers were singed.

Col. B. O. Lewis, executive officer in charge of the demonstration, said veterinarians who examined the goats afterwards could find no visible effects of shock.

The bomb consisted of 300 pounds of carbon and 700 pounds of liquid oxygen, contained in a sack hoisted 20 feet up from a pole forming a hub around which the goats were tethered.

Slight Concussion Felt

Barlow detonated it with an electric charge from a half mile away and the explosive went off with a roar. Military men, congressional committeemen and newsmen, also half a mile away, felt a slight concussion.

The blast ripped away the top of the pole and tore a small hole in the ground, but it didn't faze the goats.

Senator Morris Sheppard (D-Tex) chairman of the Senate military affairs committee, said:

"I don't think that the test was conclusive. It will have to be done in a metal container."

Musical Work

McAllen's Orchestra Plans Meeting

McALLEN—The Little Symphony Orchestra of the Rio Grande Valley, latest McAllen cultural group, will hold its meetings every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at the Schwingel Studio instead of the Thursday schedule, followed during the winter.

As their summer project, the orchestra is practicing on Beethoven's Symphony and plans to present a concert, its first, this fall.

In the absence of Miss Roberta Parks, attending summer school at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, Miss Betty Jo Langston will act as secretary.

Herman Wren is president of the orchestra and E. Graham vice president.

Donna Legion Hits Subversive Actions

DONNA—Border Post 107 American Legion of Donna went on record regarding subversive activities at the regular meeting of the post last week.

A three-target pistol range has been completed and practice is being held at the range.

Five members of the American Legion pistol team will journey to Laredo Sunday to participate in the annual pistol shoot held by the Legion in this section. Members of the team are, P. M. Dykeman, post commander; A. B. Sanders, post adjutant; Harold Vertrees, Ivan Dodd, and C. F. Wood.

Georgia Governor Blasts At Aliens

ATLANTA—(AP)—In an unprecedented move aimed at "fifth columnists," Governor E. D. Rivers directed Saturday that the business, occupational and profession licenses of all Georgia aliens be cancelled June 1.

In giving oral instructions to Revenue Commissioner T. Grady Head to revoke the licenses, the governor made no mention of any exceptions, but later announced aliens who had applied for citizenship by June 1 would be exempted.

80-Year-Old Man Has New Marital Venture

SALT LAKE CITY—(AP)—Donna Faye and Donald Raye Bush, 12-year-old twins, were attendants at a wedding here.

The bridegroom was Fred Tobas, 80, their great-grandfather.

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Detained

Captain Franz Von Rintelen, above, noted for German espionage activities in the first World war, and in recent years a resident of England, was detained in England's drive on "fifth column" activities. Von Rintelen operated in the U. S. during the World war.

ALFALFA CROP STILL NEEDED

But Half Of Required Acreage Obtained

McALLEN—Half of the 600 acres of alfalfa necessary to secure a dehydration plant for McAllen have been signed up, George Lockhart told the McAllen Chamber of Commerce agricultural committee Saturday.

Lockhart said farmers had pledged 300 acres. A plant will be constructed if the minimum acreage can be secured within a radius of five miles of McAllen, he declared.

He said he will consider alfalfa beyond the five-mile radius if the field has 50 acres or more.

Mooney Undergoes Another Operation

SAN FRANCISCO — (AP) — Tom Mooney, 57, underwent his third major operation Saturday since his release from prison 17 months ago.

Saturday's operation was to relieve a jaundiced condition resulting from a biliary obstruction. Consultants said Mooney's condition made the operation an immediate necessity.

Cotton Consumption Decrease Reported

AUSTIN —(AP)— Dr. A. B. Cox, University of Texas marketing expert, predicted Saturday that 1939-40 world cotton consumption would be 28,000,000 bales, a reduction of 5,000,000 bales from last year.

At the same time he urged that the United States adopt an effective cotton program to meet "increasing fierceness of competition in the world market."

ALLIED WIN TO BE TOPIC

Brownsville Forum Set Monday

BROWNSVILLE—This may seem prosaic in the light of current events, but the Open Forum here Monday night is to discuss the results of an Allied victory in the European war.

The Open Forum, at a recent meeting, thumbed-over the results of a supposed Nazi victory.

Principal speaker will be Fred J. Khouri of the Brownsville high school-junior college faculty, who was a lecturer last summer at the League of Nations pavilion at the New York World's Fair.

The meeting will be the last of the season, and a reviving committee will be selected to organize the forum again next autumn.

Mr. Khouri is to leave soon for his home in Cranford, N. J. Holder of two degrees from Columbia University in foreign relations, he expects to do work on his doctor's degree next year.

Candidates Work

Mexico Presidential Aspirants Busy

HERMOSILLO, Sonora, Mexico—(AP)—Gen. Manuel Avila Camacho, pro-administration candidate for the Mexican presidency, will go by airplane from here to Mexicali, Baja California, Monday on the next lap of his nation-wide speaking tour, it was officially announced Thursday.

After touching a number of cities in Baja, California, the general will swing east againn, with a stop scheduled in Nogales, Sonora, June 2.

General Camacho is resting here this week from his arduous campaign.

The opposition candidate, Gen. Juan Andreau Almazan, was reported to have arrived Wednesday in Piedras Negras, Coahuila state. He plans to enter Sonora at Pulpito Pass about May 28.

Miner Blasts Self And Two Policemen

BOULDER, Colo.— (AP) —George Schmitz, 40-year-old hardrock miner, was blown to bits and two policemen were critically injured Saturday when Police Captain Arthur F. Master said, the miner set off a pocketful of dynamite during a quarrel with his estranged wife.

Mrs. Schmitz, who filed a divorce petition Friday, escaped injury by jumping outside their small home.

Judge Blalock Aids Duval County Judge

EDINBURG—District Judge Rogers Blalock will be on the bench here Monday when the new May term of 93rd civil district court gets under way. He has spent several days recently at San Diego, assisting District Judge Lawrence Broeter in clearing up the docket in his Duval county court.

Tri-Church Meeting Is Set For Sunday

RIO HONDO—Women of Alamo, San Juan and Rio Hondo community churches will meet here Friday, May 31, at noon for a covered dish luncheon, and a meeting to organize the women of the three churches.

OIL INDUSTRY PREPARED TO SUPPLY FUEL NEEDS

FORT WORTH — (AP) — Preparedness of the oil industry to supply fuel for President Roosevelt's defense program and 50,000 warplanes is expected to occupy much of the discussions among the 1,500 oil men during the Tenth Annual Mid-Year Meeting of the American Petroleum Institute.

While the convention proper does not formally open until Tuesday, committee meetings were inaugurated Friday. These sessions will be resumed Monday and continued through Thursday, when the convention ends, leaving only the annual golf tournament to be held Friday. Several hundred oil men put in their appearance for the early committee meetings.

While the majority of the time of those attending will be spent in the group sessions of the refining and production divisions of the API, much attention will be directed toward the role that the industry and its products are to assume in national defense.

Oil people everywhere have implied that their industry can be relied upon to the limit in any emergency.

Leaders in the oil industry have no worry about ability to increase capacity for making airplane fuel or any other products needed in the defense program. Should it be called upon, the industry could triple or quadruple its aviation gasoline output by the early part of next year, it has been expressed by the early arrivals for the convention.

As for increasing the supply of crude, only the turn of valves on the thousands of flush wells in the country will be necessary.

It has been pointed out by early arrivals that the domestic and foreign demand for aviation gasoline during the past few months has been 20,000 barrels daily, while the industry has been refining 30,000 varrels daily.

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It is now generally conceded that the Ford high-wage policy (the minimum wage in Ford plants is $6 per day and skilled workers receive much more) has been of immense benefit to all industry. Other manufacturers in many lines now pay better wages, too, and the result has been to create buying power, provide volume markets and greatly increase the value which a dollar will buy.

Then there is the question of profit. Can it be shown that Ford profit per car is lower—and that the buyer gets the benefit?

On this let us refer you to the Federal Trade Commission's recent report on the entire Automobile Industry by direction of the United States Congress.

Analyzing the government figures compiled in this report, a leading financial publication says:

"In the four years from 1934 to 1937, inclusive, a fairly prosperous period for the automobile industry, the Ford Motor Company extracted a profit averaging less than $6 per car." The news story then compares this figure with the $48 and $46 profit averages on other leading low-price cars.

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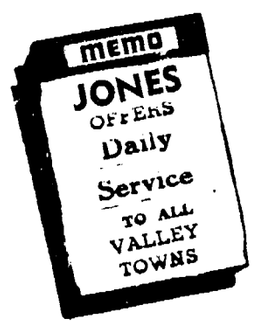

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Holland Rapidly Recovering From Tension Of War; Is Near Normal

NAZI CONTROL FOR COUNTRY IS COMPLETE

Demobilization Seen For Dutch Army

AMSTERDAM —(AP)— Holland is rapidly recovering from the tension of war and Saturday was as nearly normal perhaps as any country in Europe.

Two weeks ago Friday when the Nazi invasion began, destruction rained from the skies and thousands of soldiers swept over the flat countryside. For five days the Dutch army fought, while the populace shuddered and jumped nervously as the wail of air raid sirens recurrently broke on the air.

Tension Is Relaxed

Saturday, except in a few places like Rotterdam where the full force of the war struck, people were going about their business as usual.

There are many reminders of war but one is impressed by the relaxation of tension which had ben felt in varying degrees for many months before Germany struck.

The blackout still is in effect in all cities.

Demobilization Expected

Numerous German soldiers are seen on the streets and in restaurants but Dutch soldiers, permitted to go about freely, are more in evidence. Frequently they are seen exchanging salutes or walking with the Germans.

Demobilization of the Dutch army is expected shortly.

The German military command is the supreme authority in Holland. However, local governments are permitted to function in collaboration with the Germans.

Club Dues Paid

Miss Vernice Kelly Is First President

HARLINGEN—The American Legion Community Service Club Saturday announced ten places of business in the city where membership dues may be paid.

These places are Johnson's Cafe, L. R. Plaskett Service Station, American Legion Hall, Walgreen Drug Company, Doug's Grill, Rio Grande Pharmacy, Arcadia Beauty Shop, Andy's No. 1, Cady's Barber Shop and also at the club office at Vine's Furniture Company.

The club is financing a child welfare program by means of ten-cent weekly membership dues and the places are set up for the payment of these dues. Each week a new club president is elected and if the person named has a paid up membership he receives a $25 weekly salary. Friday night Miss Vernice May Kelly was named president and next Friday a successor will be named. If the person elected does not have his membership paid up, the president elected the following week receives a salary of $50 and so on until a maximum of $75 is reached.

Police Kept Busy; Pamphleteers Stir Citizens To Riots

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Police were kept busy Saturday quelling clashes between war-jittery citizens and members of a pacifist religious sect.

Radio cars and patrol wagons were rushed to several sections of the city as crowds of angry folk attempted to prevent the sale of literature attacking organized religion and militarism.

The first outbreak occurred when crowds cornered pamphleteers in a downtown parking lot. Two other disturbances occurred shortly thereafter.

Wrong Way Corrigan Father Of New Son

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— Douglas "Wrong Way" Corrigan, whose story when he landed his old plane in England two years ago was that he started for Los Angeles and missed his bearings, became a father Saturday.

Mrs. Corrigan and a six-pound son were "doing nicely," the doctor said.

Coroner Is In Favor Of Abolishing Place

GREENSBURG, Pa. —(AP)— Dr. H. Albert McMurray is trying to talk himself out of a job.

The Westmoreland county coroner, McMurray told a women's club his office should be abolished because the coroner system is "pernicious, slow inefficient and antiquated" and a "relic of obsolete social conditions."

Mount Etna Crater Erupts In Sicily

LONDON—(AP)—The central crater of Mount Etna erupted at 3 a.m. Saturday, shooting a fountain of lava 20 feet high, the Exchange Telegraph news agency said in a dispatch from Catania, Sicily. About half an hour later the eruption calmed down. No damage was reported.

LEGION LEADER DIES

WICHITA, Kan.— (AP) —Ralph T. O'Neil, 51, national commander of the American Legion in 1932, died suddenly of a heart attack here Saturday night.

Brownsville's Legion To Honor Vice-Leader

Banquet To Be Held Tuesday Night For Kelley

BROWNSVILLE—Valley ex-service men and wives will gather at Brownsville Tuesday evening as the local American Legion post stages a banquet honoring Charles Q. Kelley, Little Rock, Ark., national vice-commander of the Legion.

The banquet was announced Saturday by Brownsville Legionnaires and it was stated at least 75 Upper Valley couples are expected to attend.

The banquet honoring Commander Kelley will be at the El Jardin Hotel here, beginning promptly at 7:45 p.m. Tuesday. Commander Kelley will speak at 8:30 p.m., and the banquet program will be broadcast over radio station KRGV.

Commander Kelley's visit to the Valley is a part of a trip to different Central and South Texas cities.

All Legionnaires and members of the Legion Auxiliary, Veterans of Foreign Wars and members of the V.F.W. auxiliaries, and members of all veterans' organizations of Brownsville and the entire Valley are invited to attend the banquet honoring Commander Kelley.

CHARLES Q. KELLEY

Tickets are being distributed at different Legion posts in the Valley. Reports of the number that will attend from each post or organization must be received in Brownsville by 6 p.m. Monday.

Mexico Names Military Chief In Border Area

REYNOSA, Mexico—General Pedro Lopez Tafoya of Monterrey assumed command Saturday of the military sector from Matamoros to Nuevo Laredo, establishing headquarters in Reynosa.

Chief of the 24th Cavalry, General Tafoya's command embraces Matamoros, Reynosa, Camargo, Guerrero, Nuevo Laredo and intervening points.

He accompanied General Miguel Enriquez of Monterrey, chief of the Seventh Military Zone, composed of the states of Coahuila, Nuevo Leon and Tamaulipas, on a tour of inspection to border posts Friday, prior to assuming his new post.

Lieutenant-Colonel Juan Jose Arocha will remain at his post as commander of the Reynosa garrison.

General Enriquez said he planned to make as many trips as possible to border towns because he wishes to be in contact with the American people on the other side of the river.

Through Mexican Consul Lauro Izaguirre of McAllen he expressed his desire to co-operate at all times with the American people. He said he deeply appreciated the welcome given him by United States citizens when he first came to the border several months ago.

He said he wanted to assure the American people that he and his subordinates will endeavor to carry on and to cement the good friendship and good will existing between the two countries and especially between the people of the Valley and northern Mexico.

The 24th Cavalry maintains a jazz band which is expected to be available for functions on both sides of the river.

HEARING SET AT HOUSTON

Freight Containers To Be Discussed

HARLINGEN—A number of subjects pertinent to growers, shippers and manufacturers of the Valley and the Southwest will come before the hearing to be held in Houston June 14 by the Freight Container Bureau of the Association of American Railroads, according to J. C. Yancey of Harlingen, southwestern representative.

Other hearings in the series will be held at Fresno, Calif., New York and Chicago on June 7, Jacksonville, Fla., June 11 and Houston June 14. Many such hearings have been held in Harlingen and a recent one was conducted at McAllen.

There are 29 proposals to come before the hearings of which 12 are for changes in present container specifications, 13 are for new containers not now provided in any tariff and four involve loading rules.

The Houston hearing will be conducted by Edward Dahill of New York, chief engineer for the bureau.

If it is not possible to attend the hearings in person anyone interested may submit written statements in triplicate directly to the New York office.

The proposals include a new type single compartment one and three-fifths bushel citrus box for use in the southeast.

Sudden Illness Hits Schoolmen's Banquet

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— Sudden illness struck down between 150 and 200 men at a schoolmasters' banquet Friday night, and Saturday eight of the victims were listed as critically ill.

Some of the 30 men taken to hospitals were so ill they were unable to give their names.

At the county general hospital Saturday it was stated the condition of 15 of those taken there was "fair." Twelve others given first aid treatment at a police receiving hospital and then taken to private institutions were reported out of danger.

Texas Negro's Leg Torn Off By Train

SHREVEPORT, La. —(AP)— When a Texas and Pacific passenger train pulled into the Shreveport station Saturday the foot and leg of a Negro was found hanging to the guard hangar of a pullman car.

Checking back along the track trainmen found the body of Henry Dixon, 28-year-old Marshall, Tex., Negro at a spot a half mile east of Scottsville, Tex., 35 miles west of Shreveport.

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Madison Coffee Shop
Complete Dinners
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VALLEY MEN STRIVE FOR WATER BILL

Delegates Expected To Return Soon

EDINBURG—Three Valley men who have been in Washington for the past two weeks pressing for house passage of a bill making possible a $54,000,000 irrigation and flood control project on the lower Rio Grande will return home during the coming week.

Oliver C. Aldrich, Hidalgo county judge and president of the Valley Water Conservation association, is expected home within a few days, his office announced Saturday. With him at the capital have been A. L. Cramer of Elsa and Emory W. Watts of Donna.

Report To Be Given

They are expected to be able to report the status of house resolution 9442 recently introduced by Congressman Milton West of Brownsville to make the Valley project possible. There has been some feeling in the Valley recently that the nation-wide defensive drive being led by President Roosevelt may divert attention from the Valley measure and thus hinder its chances of passage at this session of congress.

That Valley interests at Washington are pressing for such passage was indicated by a telegram received in the Valley the past week, in which Aldrich, Cramer and Watts urged that this section's entire effort be centered on the measure "in as much as time in this session of congress is limited."

Telegram Is Received

The telegram was inspired by a forum discussion early in the week at Brownsville in which a proposal was voiced that a joint committee of irrigation officials from the Valley and Mexico study the problem of equitable division of the waters of the river and attempt to promote a treaty between the U. S. and Mexican governments making construction of dams possible along the river.

"We are alarmed over the possibility of these discussions diverting the attention of the people of the Valley from the vigorous efforts now needed to effect passage" of the West bill, the three men wired. The project "will solve our problem by inside storage and would be the means of furnishing earliest possible relief," they contended.

Storage of Rio Grande waters will become part of the present proposed project, the telegram said, "if and when accomplished, but this cannot be in any way a substitute thereof."

Poppy Sale Good

Local VFW Auxiliary Cleans Up Supply

HARLINGEN — Memorial Day poppies sold like hot cakes Saturday, according to E. Polk Hornaday, chairman of the Veterans of Foreign Wars committee in charge of the sale.

The local VFW post ordered only 2,000 poppies and all except 250 were sold by noon. The remainder were sold soon after noon.

Ladies of the VFW auxiliary sold the poppies and Hornaday said that a fine spirit of co-operation was shown by members of the American Legion junior auxiliary who assisted.

Mexican Envoy Goes Home To Oil Parley

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Mexican Ambassador Francisco Castillo Najera will leave by plane Saturday night for his home capital and informed sources said he would participate in conferences with British oil interests on the pending dispute over expropriation of English owned oil properties.

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Free Delivery Phone 346

War Causes Severe Surplus Problem For Farmers

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Foreign markets closed by the European war and the spread of the barter system threatened to saddle American farmers with one of their worst surplus problems in recent years, despite production restrictions imposed under federal crop control programs.

Administration farm officials, deeply concerned, are searching for possible new outlets for crops which normally would be sold to European belligerents and to neutrals cut off from American supplies.

The agriculture department predicts that American farm exports will be reduced almost a third this year.

Normal yields of major crops this season would materially increase surpluses.

The prospects of such production and the shrinkage in foreign markets already is depressing farm prices. Grains have suffered sensational declines and cotton has lost ground.

The barter system, once confined to German trading operations, has been spreading to all Europe, even to the Allies, agriculture department officials said.

The British and French were said to have adopted a modified form of barter with South American countries.

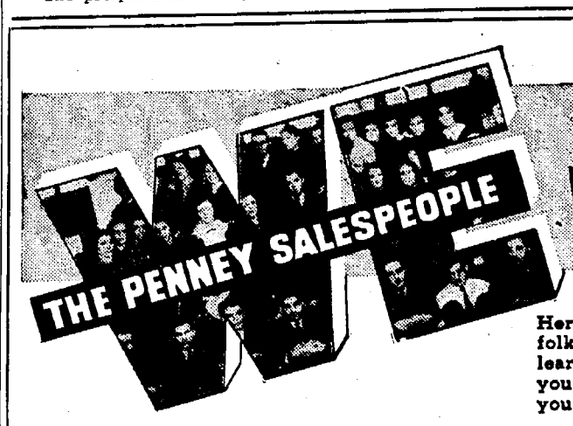
As a consequence, the government is preparing to invoke all phases of its crop control legislation in an effort to avert further shrinkage in farm values and income. Surpluses which otherwise might move into foreign markets will be withdrawn from market channels and stored under government loans to producers. This operation may require upwards of $500,000,000 in federal funds.

The government plans to make the most of what foreign markets are now available through use of export subsidies.

Subsidization of consumption by low-income families in this country will be given increased emphasis.

To carry on the operations, including benefits authorized farmers for curtailing production, the government expects to have upwards of $1,350,000,000.

Should crop control and subsidization fail to hold prices at reasonably satisfactory levels, the administration may turn, some leaders said, to some sort of price-control.



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Here they are—values handpicked for you by us behind-the-counter folks! We see you and talk to you day after day, and so we've learned to KNOW what you want! Throughout the entire store you'll find these bargains you've been waiting for—at less than you expected to pay. Come in and SAVE!

VALUE FOR YOU!

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Fast Color broadcloth shorts & shirts 25c ea.

SHEER RAYON BEMBERG
A new Assortment. 49c yd.
Cool, unexpensive! A delight to work with and a joy to wear.

MEN'S SUMMER PAJAMAS
Styled by Gentry! $1.49
These smart, tasteful patterns can be found only at Penney's.

MEN'S RIVERCREST Summer Slacks
An Ideal Summer Slack Cool, Comfortable 1.98

SHANTUNG LINETTE PLAY SHOES 1.98
..s streamlined and clean cut as your favorite slacks . . . and as comfy to wear!
Blue and white in opentoed and cut away gored shoes with tuftan highlighting the smart wedge heels.

VALUE FOR YOU!

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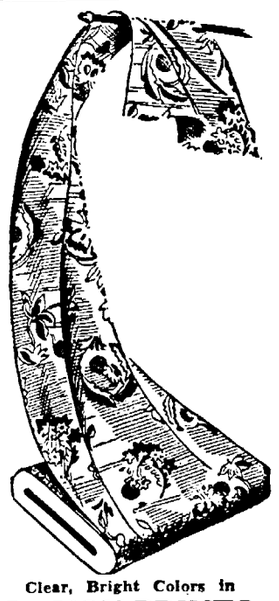
Luxury at a little price! Perfumed lanolin soap — 12 round cakes, attractively boxed! 25¢ Box

Close Out MEN'S SUMMER SUITS
Your choice from our entire stock of Men's Summer Suits for only— 14.77
AN EMPLOYEES VALUE — FOR YOU

BRENTWOOD DRESSES
An Employes Value! $1.98
A dress to suit everyone. Smart enough to wear all the time. Lovely Prints and plain colors.

LOUNGING HOUSE COATS
Zipper and wrap-around models— 98c
In big splashing prints or dainty florals!



Clear, Bright Colors in RAYON PRINTS 39c yd.
At this low price you can have a smart summer wardrobe for a song!
You're have the unusual texture of the "Thick 'N' Thin" weave and the clear cut prints that fairly sparkle!
39-in. wide and washable.
Employees Value!

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CYNTHIA SLIPS 98c
Straight or bias cut. Made to fit smoothly!

Gaymode HOSE
Sheer, glamorous chiffons. Sturdy service weights. All full fashioned. 79c

WOMEN'S Mesh Panties
An ideal summer pantie, Cool, Comfortable 15c

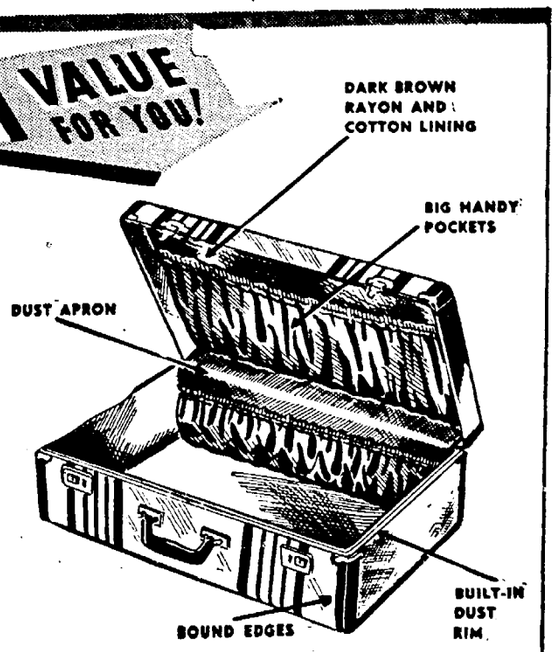
LUNCHEON CLOTHS
Fast color prints on sateen finished cotton twill 51 in. square— 98c

PRISCILLAS
Fine pin-dot marquisette with deep ruffles. White cream and pastels. 98c

BEDSPREADS
Thickly tufted chenille in 2-tone designs on colored grounds 2.98

Terry Towels
Reversible block check—colored borders in big thick terry. 25c

VALUE FOR YOU!



WEEK-END CASES
A new low price for popular BOUND EDGE cases! This expensive-looking style is as durable as it is smart—shower-proofed canvas cover, lined in dark brown! Roomy 21" size!.
An Employees Value! 2.77

PENNEY'S
J. C. PENNEY CO., INC.
HARLINGEN

End Of Month Shoe Sale!

Prices reduced on broken lots of Spring and Summer Shoes . . . The quality is built into every pair.

INCLUDED IN THIS SALE:

- BLACK PATENT LEATHER
- BLUE KID AND GABARDINE
- NATURAL AND TAN
- TAN AND WHITE
- WHITE

See Our Rack Specials $1.95

Simmonds Booterie
HARLINGEN

Roosevelt's Speech On State Of Union Holds Interest Now

Facts Of Preparedness Seen Plain Enough By Observers; Conceptions Outmoded

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

Against the sombre background of the battle in Flanders, President Roosevelt's radio talk Sunday night on the state of the union—and its preparedness to defend itself in a war-mad world—takes on deep significance.

A tale of horror outmoding all written history is being written there. Respective of Franco-British or German fortunes swaying uncertainly in the balance from hour to hour, the unfolding story of that battle gives Roosevelt an opportunity to point its defense moral for American ears.

And that moral is this: In Poland, in Norway, in Holland, in Belgium, in France and even at sea-girt England a terrible price in blood and treasure has been and is being paid for inadequate readiness for defense.

Just how Roosevelt intends to state it is a matter of his choice. The facts are plain enough. They heavily underscore the failure even of France, at elbow-touch with arming Germany, to apprehend the full significance and import of the Nazi war preparation or to foresee the powerful war mechanisms that could and would be loosed against her.

Conceptions Changed

Administration leaders have made it clear that the events of actual war in Europe, beginning with the first German "blitzkrieg" in Poland, have destroyed all previous conceptions of national defense needs. That involves not only types of weapons, but the speed with which industry must be re-geared to produce them in sufficient quantity.

There was a plain intimation in President Roosevelt's suggestion to Congress that this country might need 50,000 battle planes, to insure the western hemisphere against incursions from Europe or Asia, that he regarded time as of the essence. Since he spoke the flame of war in Flanders has swept forward to the continental coast of the English Channel.

Insular England faces real—not imaginary or theoretical fears—of invasion despite her sea-power. The seemingly impossible of three weeks ago has become the not only possible, but the probable, perhaps the inevitable, of today.

Calculations Upset

All of it enters into the revision of American defense policy and re-fashioning of American means of defense which will be the announced keynote of the president.

The aftermath of the battle in Flanders may do far more than any possible present calculation of defense requirements to afford a glimpse of the dimensions of the American armament policy of the years ahead. That vast and confused conflict has already made almost obsolete much previous American defense planning.

There is a grave possibility, for instance, that Germany has created in a fast-striking, armored and mechanized shock unit a weapon upsetting every previous calculation of the relative cost in life of the offensive and defensive in war.

TEXAS G. O. P. MEET MONDAY

Committee To Hold All-Day Session

DALLAS —(AP)— The 1940 Texas State Republican Convention will get under way here Monday morning when 62 members of the state executive committee are scheduled to begin an all-day session.

The committee meeting, however, will be only preliminary to two major convention events. Thomas E. Dewey, young Republican presidential hopeful from New York, will speak at Fair Park Auditorium Monday evening. Orville Bullington, Wichita Falls member of the state committee, will deliver the convention's keynote address at its opening session Tuesday morning.

John Philp, State Republican secretary, said Saturday approximately 500 Republican delegates are expected to attend the convention, which will be held in the auditorium of the Dallas City Hall.

The Weather

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy, warmer in northwest portion Sunday; Monday cloudy. Moderate to fresh southeast winds on the coast.

ARIZONA: Fair Sunday and Monday except scattered afternoon thunderstorms. Not much change in temperature.

NEW MEXICO: Fair Sunday and Monday except scattered afternoon and early evening thunderstorms. Not much change in temperature.

WEST TEXAS: Increasing afternoon cloudiness Sunday and Monday with local afternoon and evening thunderstorms in the south and west portions Sunday and scattered over the entire area Monday. Not much change in temperature.

OKLAHOMA: Fair and warmer Sunday; Monday partly cloudy showers extreme west, warmer central and east portions.

Tabular data are for the 24 hours preceding 6:30 a.m. yesterday.

STATION	Lowest last night	Highest last 24 hours	Precipitation (inches)
Abilene	56	84	.00
Albuquerque	51	79	.00
Amarillo	51	77	.00
Atlanta, Ga.	49	76	.00
Austin	57	82	.00
Boise, Idaho	53	88	.00
Boston, Mass.	46	49	.12
Brownsville	62	80	.00
Br'ville Airp't	57	82	.00
Chicago, Ill.	46	54	.00
Cincinnati, Ohio	43	57	.79
Cleveland, Ohio	48	51	1.00
Corpus Christi	56	80	.00
Dallas	60	82	.00
Del Rio	58	81	.00
Denver, Colo.	43	71	.00
Dodge City, Kan.	44	77	.00
El Paso	59	82	.00
Fort Smith, Ark.	57	79	.57
Helena, Mont.	50	84	.00
Houston	58	79	.00
Huron, S. Dak.	43	63	.00
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Jacksonville, Fla.	69	90	.57
Kansas City, Mo.	49	73	.20
Los Angeles	56	76	.00
Memphis, Tenn.	58	77	.01
Miami, Fla.	79	85	.00
Mpls. St. Minn.	42	60	.01
Modena, Utah	45	77	.00
New Orleans, La.	61	77	.00
North Platte, Neb.	36	71	.00
Oklahoma City	55	80	.00
Palestine	62	78	.00
Pensacola, Fla.	69	79	.20
Phoenix, Ariz.	70	100	.00
Port Arthur	64	78	.00
Portland, Ore.	51	72	.00
Roswell, N. M.	37	83	.00
St. Louis, Mo.	53	74	.00
Salt Lake City	51	86	.00
San Antonio	64	82	.00
San Francisco	52	62	.00
Sheridan, Wyo.	40	77	.00
Shreveport, La.	60	78	.00
Tampa, Fla.	73	82	.13
Vicksburg, Miss.	62	75	.00
Washington, D. C.	56	62	.00
Williston, N. Dak	39	67	.00
Wilmington, N. C.	69	84	.10
Winnemucca, Nev	33	69	.00

Motley Withdraws From State Fight

AUSTIN—(AP)—The crowded race for railroad commissioner had one less candidate Saturday with the withdrawal of Raymond Motley of Waxahachie.

Motley announced lack of "financial ability" caused his withdrawal. He added that he personally would support Pierce Brooks of Dallas.

Valley Stickers Still Available

McALLEN—In spite of the large number of Valley persons securing windshield stickers from the McAllen chamber of commerce to place on their automobiles for trips "back home," a large number of free grapefruit and palm tree stickers are still available, officials said Saturday.

She Was Really It

GEORGETOWN, Colo.—(AP)—Dr. Randolph P. McDonough of Denver University, delivering the commencement address at the high high school in this mining community directed his remarks principally to Dorothy Nelson.

She was the 1940 graduating class And Dorothy lives nearby Empire.

Specialists Called To Greece's Colors

ATHENS—(AP)—The Greek government announced Saturday night that specialists and military classes of 1934 have been called up as a precautionary measure. It did not specify the number of men affected.

Parsons Licensed

Water Operator One Of Three Best

McALLEN—Roy Parsons, superintendent of service for the McAllen C. P. and L. unit, Saturday became the third Valley man to receive an "A" water operator's license, permitting him to operate any water filtration plant in the state for the remainder of his life.

The license was issued to him by the Texas Board of Health and marked the end of a long study coupled with 15 years experience in water service.

Similar licenses are held by S. C. Clark of San Benito and Rankin Kennedy of Weslaco.

McAllen Publicized As Entry To Mexico

McALLEN—McAllen is termed the second most important gateway to Mexico in the United States, in literature mailed out the past week by the McAllen Chamber of Commerce.

The literature, calculated to draw additional travel to the Valley and McAllen was mailed to travel bureaus of chambers of commerce in strategic cities throughout the Middlewest.

Robed Choir Gives Musicale On June 2

SAN JUAN—A robed choir of 27 voices, under direction of James Dodson, will present a sacred musicale at the San Juan's People's church here Sunday, June 2, at 8 p. m., with Mrs. A. B. Cron as pianist according to announcement Saturday.

Canadian Officers Seize Nazi Papers

MONTREAL—(AP)—In the second of their overnight raids against Fascist and "Fifth Column" elements, police Saturday arrested one man and seized fresh quantities of Swastika emblems, pennants, pamphlets, maps and photographs.

Baptists Hit Papal Envoy Of President

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—(AP)—The Northern Baptist Convention voted Saturday to ask President Roosevelt to reconsider his appointment of Myron C. Taylor as his personal representative to the Vatican.

Yugoslavs Ship Out Gold To U. S. Safes

ATHENS, Greece—(AP)—Three carloads of Yugoslav gold arrived here Saturday for trans-shipment to the United States.

FREE
APPRECIATION MONEY
With Every 20c Purchase It's Good for . . .
CASH!

FULL FASHIONED HOSE
All silk to the top. Two and 3-thread, 45 and 48 gauge—
2 Pairs for $1
Or "Kneehi" Hose, 4 pairs for .
AZIZ BROS. Brownsville

FREE!
Any 10c ITEM in our store with the purchases of other merchandise amounting to $1
W. F. WOOLWORTH CO.

OUR DOLLAR SPECIAL
Two 50c bottles of Pepsodent Antiseptic $1.00
One $1 bottle of Hind's Almond Cream $1.00
Total value $2.00
All for $1
SAMANO'S DRUG STORE
Next to Penney's

LOOK, LADIES
Shampoo .....!
Fingerwave .....!
Rinse .....!
Eye Brow Arch...!
A $1.70 value, Special, all for . $1
LEON The Hairstylist
Phone 1121

FREE!
10c box of Brown's Saltine crackers
One Pint of Ice Cream (Our own make)
Free with each $1 or More Purchase
All for $1
PIGGLY WIGGLY Brownsville

Hunting Knives
Genuine leather scabbards. Your choice of bone, ebonite, pearl or leather handles. All sizes.
Special $1
LION AUTO STORE
Home Owned — Home Operated

Wash and Grease Job
Any Make Car
$1.75 Value
Dollar Day Special Only
$1
PIPKIN-MANSKE MOTORS
Super-Service Station — 9th & Levee

34 Brownsville merchants invite you
the last of 4 sensational Dollar Mone
values are listed below and they're j
you'll find inside the stores. Remem

ASK FOR FREE APPREC

Children's Sox
Regularly 25c pair,
SPECIAL, 6 pairs $1
A $1.50 Value!
MARY-FRANCES SHOP

Men's 8-ounce
BLUE DENIM
OVERALLS
$1.29 Value
DOLLAR DAY SPECIAL $1
McChesney's Dry Goods Store
Eleventh Between Elizabeth and Washington

Guaranteed Washable!
Window Shades
Fibre
Complete with Rollers
5 for $1
Choice of Ecru, Ivory or White
USUALLY 29c EACH
W. T. GRANT CO.
"Known for Values" 1117 Elizabeth

FREE!
$1.00 Worth of Wallpaper with every $1.00 worth purchased at regular price.
See Other $1.00 Paint Specials in Our Store
SHERWIN-WILLIAMS CO.
1240 Elizabeth Phone 1181

New Summer Shoes
. . . in all the new summer shades. Most wanted styles. Values to $5.00. Extra special for tomorrow only $1
BERWALD'S SHOE STORE

Whole Skin
Oil Tanned Chamois and Auto Sponge
$1.30 Value
Both For Only $1
Western Auto Associate Store
1207 ELIZABETH

FREE!
One 10c Package Brown's SALTINES
One 10c Package NEWPORT COFFEE
$1.00 Worth of Groceries (Your Own Selection)
Total Value $1.20—
Dollar Day Special—All for . . . $1
JITNEY JUNGLE
BROWNSVILLE STORES ONLY

Repeated by Request,
LION SPARK PLUGS
15,000 mile guarantee. For all models. Regularly $1.60—
4 for $1
BROWNSVILLE HDW. CO.
1126 WASHINGTON PHONE 668

House Coats
Lightweight for summer. Seersucker, print, spun rayon. Regularly $1.98—
SPECIAL $1
COTTON SHOP
Queen Theatre Annex

ELECTRIC TABLE LAMP
Regular $1.98 electric table lamp complete with cellophane-wrapped parchment shade, extension cord and plug. Base in choice of several attractive colors.
MONDAY ONLY $1
Edelstein's BETTER FURNITURE
BROWNSVILLE STORE ONLY

DOLLAR DAY MONDAY!

Your Chance to Save Dollars
Come to Brownsville This Monday

TOMORROW . . . .

Brownsville's 4th and Last

BIG DOLLAR DAY

Monday Your Last Opportunity o Get Appreciation Money With Every 20c Purchase!

to be their guest on ays. 34 astonishing st a sample of what ers . . . besides the drastically reduced prices, you get free appreciation money with each 20c purchase made tomorrow. It's good for cash on Appreciation Day, Monday, June 3rd! Buy in Brownsville tomorrow and save—save—SAVE!!

IATION MONEY WITH EVERY PURCHASE

CAMBRIDGE CRYSTAL CIGARETTE LIGHTER and HEAVY ASH TRAY.

An ideal gift for the person who smokes $1

R. L. LACKNER Jeweler and Optometrist
"The Valley's Oldest Established Jeweler"

Special Sale of . . .
Picture Frames
4 x 6 to 11 x 14, gold and silver plated, leather, ornamental glass. Made especially for photographs. Values to $4.00, 1 day only $1
A. ROGERS PHOTO CO.
1117 Levee Phone 99

Women's and Misses'
HATS
A group of fine hats will be our Monday Dollar Day Special. Your choice $1
GIMBLE'S LADIES' WEAR
1155 Elizabeth

Summer Ties
Regularly $1.00 Value
Choice Assortment—
Dollar Day Special— 2 for Only $1
COLLINS TOGGERY
Twelfth and Elizabeth

Dart Games
18 x 18 cork faced dart board and 3 weighted darts. The new fun game for in or out of doors.
SPECIAL $1
BATSELL-WELLS
Exclusive Sporting Goods

Genuine B. V. D.
Shirts and Shorts
Regular 50c values
3 Garments for $1
PERL BROS.—FASHION
STORE FOR MEN

Thermos Jug
1 gallon, Blue Ribbon jug with pour spiggot. Regularly $1.39—
Special $1
DEN-RUSS PHARMACY

Hundreds of Useful Items
Values to $3.00
Conveniently arranged on tables for easy selection. You must see these to appreciate their value.
Dollar Day Special
Your Choice $1
Dorfman's Jewelry Store
The Valley's Finest for More Than 16 Years

Lorraine and Southern Maid
PANTIES
New summer panties in Trique Suave and Fine Tricot Lace Knit. Pink and White. Regularly 59c each.
SPECIAL, 2 pairs for $1
BOLLACK'S

Women's and Misses'
Washable Dresses
Printed Percales in good style selections.
Regular 59c
Dollar Day Price 3 for ... $1
E. MANAUTOU
12th and Washington

3 Lbs. Laco Castile Soap $1.19
Rubber Face Sponge ..... .10
TOTAL of $1.29
or
Maudarin Household Glove 29c
7-oz. Apex Moth Crystals 23c
Lovme Body Powder 98c
TOTAL of $1.50.
Your choice $1
EAGLE PHARMACY, Inc.
757 Elizabeth Phone 36

MEN'S STRAW
HATS
Several styles and colors. These are regular $1.98 hats—
Extra Special Monday, each ... $1
VALENTIN'S DEPT. STORE
Eleventh and Washington

FREE!
3 CANS OF MONARCH
Baby food with the purchase of meats or groceries in our store totaling $1
CENTER GRO. & MKT.
8th and West Elizabeth — Phone 322

BLANKETS
LAUNDERED
SINGLE or DOUBLE (Any Size)
4 FOR $1
MODEL LAUNDRY
and Dry Cleaning Company, Inc.
Phone 1

BRIEF HISTORY OF THE LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY
Complete, compact, authentic.
SPECIAL $1
Money Orders Filled At No Extra Cost.
THE BOOK INN
Capitol Theatre Bldg. Phone 1883

Full Double-Bed Size
Chenille Bedspreads
Colored backgrounds. Gay colors. Special price for Monday— $1
J. C. PENNEY CO., Inc.
Your Brownsville Penney Store

BRAKE ADJUSTMENT, RE-PACK FRONT WHEELS
with Fibre Grease
Tighten Spring U-Bolts—
A 2.50 Value $1
FIRESTONE AUTO SUPPLY & SERVICE STORES
GORDON WHITE, MGR.
708 Elizabeth St. Phone 671

Ask for Appreciation Money

It Can Be Spent As Cash on June 3rd.

DOLLAR DAY MONDAY!

Brownsville Offers Its Last Dollar Day Bargains On Monday

34 Merchants Offer Specials; Additional Appreciation Money To Be Given

BROWNSVILLE—Fourth and final "Dollar Day" in Brownsville is Monday, and 34 merchants will offer red-hot "Dollar Day" specials to customers coming here from throughout the Valley.

More appreciation money will be distributed Monday, not only on purchases of the special dollar bargains but also on any other purchases at the participating stores.

The "appreciation money" actually means another five per cent discount on purchases on "Dollar Day."

"Appreciation Money" may be spent June 3, cashed in that day like coin of the realm, on purchases at any of the stores participating in the series of "Dollar Days" that ends Monday.

Appreciation Day Coming

The merchants have arranged the June 3 "Appreciation Day" as an added incentive to customers taking advantage of the "Dollar Day" bargains.

All articles sold on "Dollar Day" will be accompanied by "appreciation money" coupons that amount to five per cent of the purchase price.

Besides a dollar special at each of the 34 participating stores, many other bargains will be available.

On "Appreciation Day" the coupons can be cashed in at any one, several or all of the 34 stores, regardless of which store issued the "appreciation money."

The Brownsville merchants are planning to make Monday's final "Dollar Day," the last of a series of four, the biggest of the events. They then will top off the entire program with "Appreciation Day."

Stores Are Marked

Stores taking part in the big bargain series are well marked, with dollar pennants decorating their show windows. Giant dollar marks painted on streets and sidewalks will guide customers to the participating stores.

Clerks in the stores will wear dollar bills pinned to their neckties—further calling to shoppers' attention the bargain values offered.

"And don't forget to ask for that appreciation money," several merchants have urged. "We want customers to come back to our stores on June 3 and do their shopping on the house."

Customers can do just that, spending their "appreciation money" to purchase merchandise, as if the coupons were cash.

Listed Today

Bargain specials for the final "Dollar Day," Monday, are listed in the Valley Sunday Star-Monitor-Herald.

The Sunday preceding the June 3 "Appreciation Day," merchants will advertise other bargains, not necessarily dollar specials, to guide customers in spending their appreciation money.

The bargain day events are sponsored by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce merchants' committee, and the Brownsville Herald. R. W. Lewis is chairman of the "Dollar Days" and "Appreciation Day" events, and can be contacted for further information at the F. W. Woolworth store.

Participating in the program of bargains are Aziz Brothers, the Book Inn, Berwald Shoe Store, Bollack's Department Store, Batsell-Wells Sporting Goods, Brownsville Hardware Company, the Cotton Shop, Collins Toggery, Center Grocery, Dorfman's Jewelry Store, Den-Russ Pharmacy, Edelstein's Better Furniture (the Brownsville store).

Others Listed

Eagle Pharmacy, Inc., Firestone Service Store, Gimble's Ladies' Wear, Grant's Department Store, Jitney Jungle Stores, Lackner's Jewelry Store, Lion Auto Store, Leon the Hairstylist, Manautou's Department Store, Mary-Frances Shop.

Model Laundry, McChesney Department Store, J. C. Penney Company, Perl Brothers—Fashion, Piggly Wiggly Store, Pipkin-Manske Motors, A. Rogers Photo Company, Sherwin Williams Paints, Samano's Drug Store, Valentin's Department Store, Western Auto Supply and Woolworth's Store.

Joint Meet Due

Lawyers, Physicians Plan McAllen Meet

McALLEN—Members of two major professional organizations will get together in McAllen the night of June 1 for a fellowship meeting at the Casa de Palmas hotel here.

The groups are the Hidalgo County Bar association and the Hidalgo County Medical association. No similar meeting has been held in this section of the Valley in several years.

Homer L. Leonard of McAllen, state representative and candidate for speaker of the house at the next legislative session, will serve as toastmaster. One principal address will be scheduled by a member of each of the professions.

Arrangements are being completed to serve the dinner to several score lawyers and doctors.

British Say German Vessel Claims False

LONDON—(AP)—The Ministry of Information said Saturday that "a German claim that eight ships and two minesweepers have been lost off the coast of South Africa from the effects of German mines is entirely false."

Seniors From Port Isabel Have Cruise

PORT ISABEL—The senior class of 1940 gave a boat party Friday when they went out on the "Gulf Ranger" owned by Captain J. W Pate. They went to Padre Island, crossed over to the gulf side and had their picnic lunch.

PARKING FINE ASSESSED

McALLEN—J. E. Miller was fined $1 in city court Saturday for illegal parking.

WALSH GETS CHURCH JOB

Catholics To Build Here Soon

HARLINGEN—J. E. Walsh of Mission was awarded contract here Friday night for construction of the new Saint Anthony's Catholic church building, with low bid of $32,500, total of 11 bids ranging as high as $41,000 being submitted by contractors throughout the Valley and state.

The church, being built in honor of Father Antoine, O.M.I., pastor of the Harlingen parish, will be constructed on corner of Tenth and East Harrison streets, opposite Statler-Burdette Mortuary.

Construction Slated

Construction will begin immediately, ground being broken on May 30, Father Antoine's 79th birthday. It is expected the church will be completed within 90 to 120 days. When completed it will seat 402 people. Stanley Bliss is architect.

The building, of Mission design, brick construction, with red tile roof, will be dedicated on September 29, which is 57th anniversary of the date Father Antoine took his priestly vows. Father Antoine was ordained a priest in December of 1887.

Plans Are Formulated

Plans for dedication are being formulated. Father Antoine has served this parish for the past eight years. The present church building, which will continue in use, has been used as house of worship here for the past 25 years.

A meeting of all members of the congregation will be held in the Knights of Columbus Hall Monday at 8 p. m., at which time a complete report will be made by the building committee, and other committees will be appointed.

Members of the building committee include Larry Powers, chairman; Mrs. Ellen Gaffney, S. R. Jennings, Menton Murray, Fred Keepers, Lloyd Borguet, J. J. Murray and Father Antoine.

Band House

Brownsville To Build School Unit

BROWNSVILLE—A permit for construction of a $1,600 band house at the Brownsville high school Saturday was recorded at the city building inspector's office.

A 25 by 50 foot one-room, one-story brick building with slate composition roof and cement floor is planned. The band room will be located on the old Tucker Field site.

Charles L. Ellis was architect for the band room, according to the permit taken out by J. P. Maher, business manager for the Brownsville Independent School District.

A permit for construction of a $4,000 residence by R. L. Brockman has been issued by the building inspector. Brockman is owner and contractor.

The house will be located on the north side of Palm boulevard between Sunset and Ebony drives, in Los Ebanos. A frame stucco building, it will have two stories, six rooms.

Coffee Pot Blast Is Fatal To Two

BAY SHORE, N. Y.—(AP)—Mrs. Henry Link, 29, hurried into the gallery of her cabin cruiser to prepare the morning coffee Saturday.

Nearby, awaiting breakfast, sat her 76-year-old grandfather, John A. Johnson.

The coffee pot exploded, fatally burning them both.

Police said Mrs. Link had mistaken gasoline from a nearby jug for water in preparing the brew.

Fourth Ward School Will Open Monday

BROWNSVILLE — Fourth Ward school here will open summer classes Monday, for children in the first to fourth grades, inclusive, it was announced Saturday.

Miss Amelia Fernandez and Miss Josephine Webb will be in charge of the school's summer session.

Dallas Group Acts To Guard Aviators

DALLAS — (AP) — Manager Guy Draper of the Oak Cliff Chamber of Commerce acted Saturday to safeguard aviators who might have to bail out in that vicinity.

Draper urged in a 100-word statement that war-minded citizens investigate before they start shooting at parachutists.

TEXAS PIONEER DIES

ABILENE, Tex.—(AP)—Mrs. H. L. Bentley, 89, native of Austin, a daughter of General Tom Green, who fought at San Jacinto and was a member of the Third Congress of the Republic of Texas, died at her home here Saturday.

RELIEF FUND DRIVES SEEN LAGGING NOW

Only San Juan Shows Total Quota

HARLINGEN—Raising of refugee relief funds by the American Red Cross by various Valley chapters was meeting with varying success by Saturday with San Juan going over the top in a big way while some others were struggling along.

San Juan workers went about their campaign in a thorough manner and raised $195, almost twice the assigned quota. The workers were guests of the San Juan Hotel management at breakfast and immediately afterwards went to work.

The drive was directed by A. E. Sharer, director, and Rev. Beaty Smith, chairman of the Red Cross chapter there. They were assisted by representatives of the Lions Club. Workers included Mesdames Fred Gallant, Jimmie Dodson, Ray Fraim, Beaty Smith, Mabel George, Armour Moore, Misses Mary Claire Gossage, Elaine Lindberg and Carolyne Doedyn and Rev. J. M. Risinger, J. Lee Stambaugh, Burl Stugard and Clark Mellenbruch.

Harlingen Lagging

At Harlingen, Treasurer E. C. Breedlove of the local Red Cross organization said only about half a dozen voluntary contributions totalling $50 had been received. Funds already in the treasury were used in meeting the local quota, it was said. Further contributions can be used with extension of hostilities in Europe and may be given either to Joe L. Penry, Jr. or to Breedlove.

At McAllen, the drive for $600, that city's part of the county's $2400 quota, gets under way Wednesday, under direction of Executive Secretary Miss Adele Speed.

A. M. Tarbutton, Edinburg, general county Red Cross chairman, said Elsa had reported $76.34, almost double its goal; Alamo finished with a quota of $113.50; Edinburg had reached the $175 mark with several days more of campaigning ahead.

Brownsville Is 'Failing'

D. B. Briggs, Brownsville Roll Call chairman, said Saturday the war relief campaign there would be a complete failure unless immediate contributions are received. He said $604, about one-third of the city's $1700 quota, had been donated.

At San Benito, Chairman Joe Sloan also admitted contributions were coming in slowly, but he said that if necessary "we will go out and dig our quota up by canvassing." The drive there has been on a voluntary basis.

Retailers Called

June To Be Dollar Auction Month

HARLINGEN—Proposal that June be designated as Auction Dollar Month in Harlingen, has been announced, according to Jack King, chairman of the Auction Dollar Month committee.

Those merchants and business business men who have not been contacted or have not signed up to participate in the plan, said Worth Heffner, chamber of commerce secretary, are requested to go to the chamber of commerce office Monday, at which time the plan will be explained in detail.

It is hoped, said King, that a definite announcement can be made on the plan within the next few days. After the plan has been explained, those who care to may sign the agreement.

Corn Cob Costume Brings Publicity

MISSION — Miss Wilma Beth Schuelke brought national attention to her home city of Mission this week when she was sketched in Ripley's "Believe It Or Not" syndicated cartoon wearing a costume made of corn cobs. Permission was granted the Ripley syndicate several weeks ago by the Mission Chamber of Commerce to use the sketch.

The dress design was chosen from several hundred shown during recent years at the annual Style Show of the Texas Citrus Fiesta in Mission. Ripley has asked to use the costume in his display at the Golden Gate Exposition in San Francisco this summer.

Brownsville To Hear San Benito Quartet

BROWNSVILLE — The double male quartet of San Benito is to give a concert Monday at 8 p. m. at the First Methodist church of Brownsville. The public is invited.

Mrs. James D. Ward, contralto, who directs the choir, will be heard also in two groups of solos. She will be accompanied at the piano by Mrs. S. W. Colmery.

Presbyterians Veto Backing Objectors

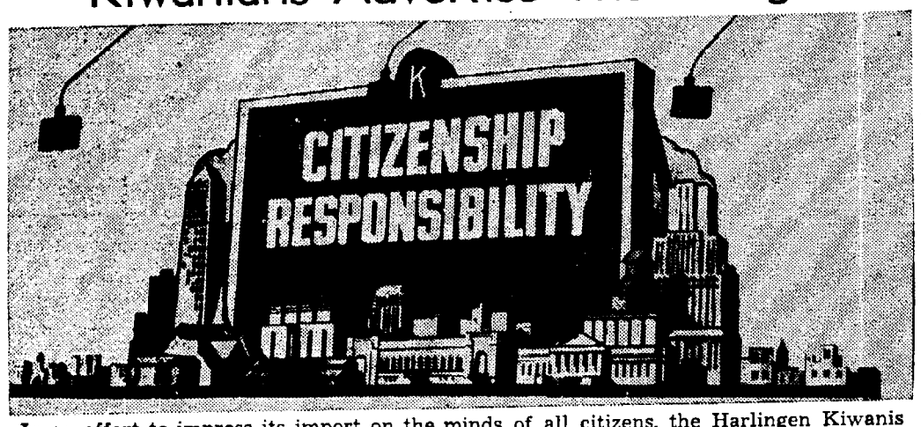
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—(AP)—Commissioners to the 152nd assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States tabled by a close vote late Friday a recommendation urging Congress to exempt conscientious objectors from military servitary service and giving them equal ice and giving them equal standing within the church.

Frisco Railroad's Profit Is Reported

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—The Frisco Railroad reported Saturday its operations in the first four months of this year had produced a net income of $161,259, as compared with a net operating deficit of $171,240 in the first quarter of 1939.

In April, the railroad had a net operating deficit of $3,558, against a similar deficit of $34,035 in April last year.

Kiwanians Advertise Their Slogan



In an effort to impress its import on the minds of all citizens, the Harlingen Kiwanis Club has erected the sign shown above, bearing the Kiwanis International slogan for 1940, "Citizenship Responsibilities, the Price of Liberty," atop Knapp Chevrolet Company on West Harrison Avenue, Harlingen.

McAllen Fourth Of July Committeemen Selected

Caravan Of Bathing Girls, Stunt Band Will Advertise Celebration During Tour

McALLEN—Twenty-one committees for the annual McAllen Fourth of July celebration were announced Saturday by General Chairman George Chapapas. The committees follow:

Air show, Al Weir, Howard Faulkner; amateur show and old fiddler's contest, P. H. Graning, Creola Vickers, Scott Martin, Jodie Polk; bathing girl revue, Bob Miller, Smith Scott Crow; baseball, Cecil Thompson; bands and music, John Gregory, Herman Wrenn, Louis Wurtz, Fletcher Rawls; boy and girl scouts, J. W. Taylor, C. E. R. Cameron., George Linn; carnival and street stunts, Hans Rothe; childrens' sports Leo Mathis, Carlos Fink; carpenter work, Gus Maurer, George Anderson.

Concessions and ice water, Bob Jolly, J. B. Morton, Jim Beakey; decorations, Cecil Thompson, dance, O. P. Martin, Francis Linn; fireworks, Dr. F. G. Sigrist, Carl Klinger, Bill Moore; golf tournament, C. D. Martin; honor guests, Kirk Mallory, Horace Etchison; pet parade, Mrs. F. O. Swan, Mrs. Horace Ethison; reveille, Bill Burris, Ray Loosh; publicity, Paul Vickers, Bill Watts, Mike Groom, Bill Holmes, Richard Rowe; finance, W. E. Trantham, Ernest Polzin; parade, D. P. Germane, Bolton Hyde; public speaking, Homer Leonard.

Publicity on the celebration will begin flowing from headquarters this week. Watts will handle the newspaper stories, and Groom the radio "plugs." Manager L. J. (Shine) Mason of the Palace Theatre has promised to run trailers advertising the event for a month free of charge. The chamber of commerce will send stories to San Antonio newspapers and radio stations for South Texas coverage.

On July 2 a caravan made up of a firemen's stunt bank, three bathing beauties, a Gulf sound truck, and numerous citizens, will tour all Valley cities, advertising the celebration and putting on a show. The caravan will leave McAllen at 9 a. m., arriving at Mission at 9:10 for a 10-minute program. The remainder of the itinerary, and hours of arrival, follow:

Edinburg 9:40, Elsa 10, Edcouch 10:05; Raymondville 10:40, Brownsville 12:30 p. m., San Benito 1:50, Harlingen 2:10, La Feria 2:35, Mercedes 2:50, Weslaco 3:10, Donna 3:30, Alamo 3:50, San Juan 4, Pharr 4:10, McAllen 4:25. A 10-minute program is to be presented at McAllen upon arrival.

'NASTY WEED' TO BE TOPIC

Tobacco Expert Is To Address Club

BROWNSVILLE — The Brownsville Lions club is going to hear about that "nasty" weed Tuesday at 12:15 p. m. at the Hotel El Jardin.

A member of the research department of Philip Morris and Company is to speak on "Tobacco From a Weed to An Ondustry."

The talk is to review some historical data in respect to the introduction of smoking among peoples. Statistical evidence is to be offered as to the economic importance of the tobacco industry.

The contribution of engineering and ethical advertising of tobacco products is covered, and a typical growing tobacco concern is to be described.

Harry Roberts is program chairman. President of the club is D. B. Briggs.

Rev. Carver Speaks At Baptist Service

HARLINGEN — "Burning The Barley Fields" will be subject of the sermon by Rev. E. Douglas Carver at the First Baptist church here Sunday, at services beginning at 10:55 a. m. Miss Emogene Oler will present special vocal music.

At evening services, Rev. Carver will speak on "My Religion." Service will be at 8 p. m. At 8:30 p. m. the message from President F. D. Roosevelt will be received at the church.

Pharr Schools End Term With Services

PHARR — Four events featured graduation week for members of Pharr-San Juan-Alamo senior class, including baccalaureate sermon the night of May 19, Class Night May 20, junior high graduation exercises May 21 at the athletic field, and senior high graduation the night of May 22.

Senior high graduation exercises were interrupted by rain. Robert H. Kern, Mercedes, speaking to seniors at the athletic field, was interrupted by a shower, and resumed his address in the school auditorium. Diplomas were presented by L. G. McCullough. Graduates numbered 88.

TOM LOADING HITS 13 CARS

Prices Remain Same At Three Cents

MERCEDES — Tomato shipments reached a new high for the spring season with 13 cars moving out of the Valley and 15 from Yoakum, making a total of 28 while Florida shipped 217. The nation's total of 346 compared to 267 on the same date last season.

Prices remained about the same with U. S. No. 1, 6x6's bringing the grower three cents a pound, 6x7's two cents and U. S. No. 2's one cent.

Valley commodity shipments Saturday were as follows: Green corn 17, parsley one, carrots three, mixed vegetables three, beets two, beets and carrots one, cucumbers two, tomatoes 13.

Texans Must Wait For Wanted Killer

LINCOLN, Neb.— (AP) —Attorney General Walter Johnson ruled Saturday in an opinion to Gov. R. L. Cochran that Ernest L. Hoefgen Nebraska penitentiary inmate, cannot be released to Texas authorities for prosecution on a murder indictment until he has finished his six-year term.

Texas authorities sought custody of Hoefgen in connection with the slaying of George Richiet, Independence, Kan., carpenter, near Wichita Falls, Tex., October 9, 1938. Sheriff Pat Allen of Wichita Falls said after questioning Hoefgen here recently that Hoefgen confessed.

HARLINGEN MAN FINED

HARLINGEN—Roy Lozano was fined $7.50 Saturday on speeding charge by Judge Menton Murray in corporation court. City Officer Harold Crossett filed the charge.

SIXTY YOUTHS ARE AT PARTY

Harlingen, San Benito Group Guests

BROWNSVILLE — More than 60 boys and girls, including several from San Benito and Harlingen, were guests Saturday night at a delightful dance given by Frances Cowen and Genie McGilvray at the Francis Leighton Dashiell studio.

The young folks took part in the hospitality, from eight to 11 p. m., with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cowen, Mrs. Hugh McGilvray, and Mrs. L. Raphael Cowen as chaperones. Punch and cookies were served to the following:

Helen Morrison, San Benito; Lillian Hardy, Harlingen; Eileen Rainey, Harlingen; Patricia Green, Jane Ann McGinley, Pansy Yturria, Patsy Caldwell, Margaret Williams, Doris Hooven, Doris Cawley, Betsy Aiken, Laura Lanier, Emma Joe Brigance, Jane Jennings, Jane Hitch, Beth DeSpain, Betty Jean MacManus, Marilyn Yglesias, Margaret Craig, Phyllis Douglas, Lois Herod, Audrey Barnes, Una Roseman Hockaday, Valorie Baudreoux, Mary Bertha Crigler, Marinell Skelton, Ann Works, Beverly Elliot, Rebecca Ann Tittle, Rose Marie Armstrong, Mildred Washington, Lionel Winans, Eugene Fernandez, Robin Pate, Jr., Henry Kinnison III, Charles Walker, Walter Rathjen, Charles McRoberts, Mickey Alleyn, Jerry Hausman, Henry Hausman, Van Deyo, Marshall Graham, Joseph Ward, Jack Shiner, David Clore, Bobby Satcher, Lee Works, Joe Frank Price, Roger Stubblefield, Billy Faulk, Austin Hayes, Mike MacManus, John Swansey, John A. Olson, Joe Garland Frazier, Joe Pierce, Ted Graham, T. W. Celaya, Manley Gaylord, Robert Richardson, Brent Pruden, Charles Paul.

Wichita Falls Has 1,247 Added Noses

WICHITA FALLS—(AP)—Showing a gain of 1,247 since 1930, Wichita Falls' population Saturday was announced as 44,937 on the basis of a preliminary 1940 census tabulation. The figure given for the metropolitan area was 53,804, comparing with 50,560 in 1930.

Heffner Is Speaker To Donna Rotarians

DONNA — Worth Heffner, manager of Harlingen Chamber of Commerce addressed the Rotary Club last week.

Rev. B. E. Stewart, of Pharr, Escopalian Church, announced the opening of the Red Cross drive and appealed to the Rotarians to give now for the aid of the millions of homeless Europeans. Otto Praether local Red Cross Chairman, requested assistance from the club, so that the Donna quota could be secured at once. Albert Kammer, F. G. Haney and Orville Stites were appointed to assist in the drive for funds.

Sudden Increase In Black Eyes Recorded In Hidalgo

Assistant Prosecutor Handles Large Group Of Assault, Battery Cases

EDINBURG—Persons appearing before justices of the peace in Hidalgo county the past week displayed an unusual collection of bruised fists, bloody noses and black eyes as the result of a sudden series of assault cases, Assistant District Attorney Hollis Rankin revealed Saturday.

Three assault trials were held late in the week.

Before Justice of the Peace T. J. Fikes, Sr., at Mercedes, Jake Foley was fined $5 and costs on an assault and battery charge, and W. J. Steigner paid a similar fine in a similar case.

At Weslaco, in Justice R. E. Erwin's court, a mistrial was ordered in the assault and battery case against Jack Miller, accused of fighting with B. T. Tackett. A hung jury prevented a verdict.

Other cases in which Rankin prosecuted for the state were:

E. T. Acree, Donna, fined $1 and costs for speeding, pleaded not guilty, tried by jury in Justice R. L. Savage's court at San Juan; Charles Martin, fined $5 and costs for using abusive language in swearing at a girl, tried by Justice W. K. Galbreath Jr., Edcouch; Porfilio Guerrero, using abusive language, fined $1 and costs by Justice Galbreath; and Pedro Castillo, fined $25 and costs, charged with petty theft in stealing auto parts from a junk yard, tried before Justice Galbreath.

A total of 17 cases went to trial in the county's justice courts during the week, said Rankin. A majority of them were heard at McAllen.

Several domestic quarrels were settled in court without trials.

Scotland Yard Busy With Fifth Column Suspects In Isles

LONDON —(AP)— Scotland Yard, which has seized 60 Fascists in two days, was expected to make other arrests this week-end in an intensified drive against suspected "Fifth Columnists."

Of the "stop-the-war" agitators already under arrest, 42 were seized in London and the others in the provinces.

United States embassy officials said "we can make no comment whatever" on a report that a member of the embassy staff had been arrested.

MOVIE WRITER DIES

HOLLYWOOD — (AP) — William Marien Conselman, who rose from a gag writer to become one of the movies' highest-paid scenarists, died Saturday of a liver ailment. He was 43.

BROWNSVILLE MAN HONORED

Washington Named In Road Contest

BROWNSVILLE—W. O. Washington, former county engineer of Cameron county, is one of five nationally known engineers selected to choose winners in the first annual Better Roads magazine contest to determine best-managed county highway departments in the United States, it was learned Saturday.

Mr. Washington is a consulting engineer of the American Road Builders' Association, and is a former president of the county highway officials' division of the association.

A series of awards will be made to county highway departments that follow good management practices, the counties divided into five population classes.

Winning counties will receive awards suitable for display.

The contest is open until June 30, and winners will be announced in the October issue of Better Roads.

British Ships Hit

BERLIN—(AP)—The German radio announced Friday night that two British cruisers had been bombed by German air raiders in the Narvik, Norway, region and "must be considered total losses." The announcement also said that a battleship and another vessel had been struck by bombs.

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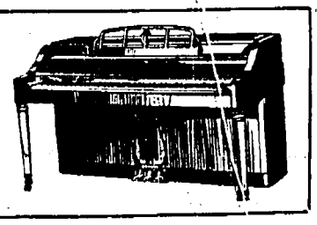

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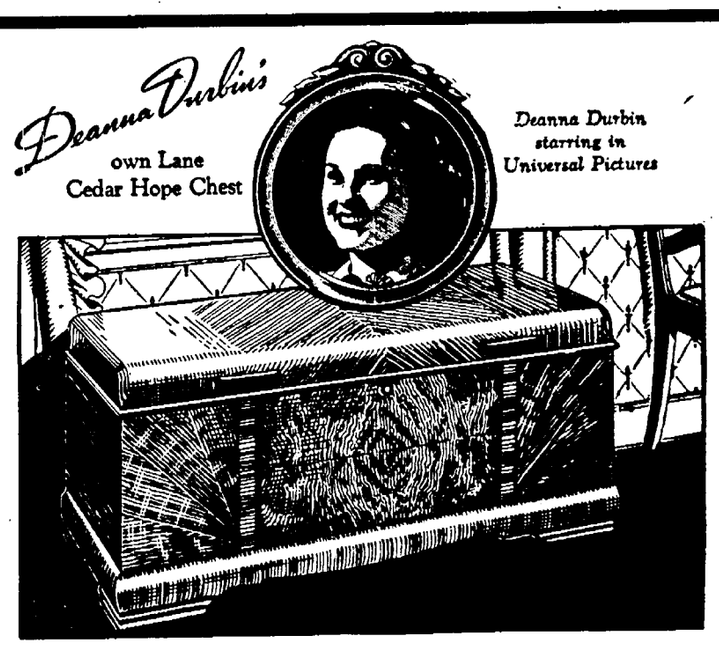

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Roosevelt To Call Private Experts To Assist With Defense Program

Emergency Group Seen To Organize Activity

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Roosevelt's intention to call private experts into the government to help with the extraordinary $3,297,011,352 defense program was announced at the White House Saturday.

Stephen Early, press secretary, disclosed that Roosevelt planned to create a national defense emergency coordination group composed both private individuals and government officials.

The chief executive intended to draw experts from industry, agriculture and labor, transportation, communication, finance and consumers, Early said. They would assist—but not supersede—the government officials, he declared.

While this announcement was being made at the executive offices, legislation aimed at "fifth column" activities in the United States increased in scope and gained momentum on Capitol Hill.

Drastic Penalties Seen

Recommending Senate passage of a House-approved bill providing drastic penalties for subversive efforts among the armed forces, a Senate judiciary sub-committee added to it a section requiring the finger-printing and registration of all aliens in this country—estimated to number 4,000,000.

Chairman Connally (D-Tex) of the sub-committee told reporters the revised legislation was a necessary part of the preparedness program and would be placed before the full committee Monday.

Other developments touching upon the defense program included:

1. Colonel Frank Knox, Republican vice presidential nominee in 1936, appointed a committee to confer with government officials on means of coordinating civilian support of the President's defense program. The appointees were General Malin Craig, retired, chairman; General Frank R. McCoy, retired; Colonel William J. Donovan, New York and Washington lawyer who led the "fighting 69th" in the World War, and Lewis Douglas of New York, former budget director who left the Roosevelt administration after differing with its fiscal policies.

Fear Is Pointed Out

2. Representative Ditter of Pennsylvania, chairman of the National Republican Congressional Committee, said President Roosevelt's recent defense message to congress had given thousands of people the impression that an attack upon the United States was imminent. This fear must be repelled if the nation is to think clearly and plan wisely, Ditter said in an address prepared for broadcasting, adding that it was also "imperative" to levy additional taxes at this time to meet emergency defense outlays.

3. Senator George (D-Ga) suggested that the United States might buy, for cash, the island possessions of Great Britain, France and Holland in the Carribbean. The question of Allied war debts should not be considered in connection with negotiations for such a purchase, he added in an interview. George suggested also that military training be instituted in CCC camps.

4. The executive committee of the National Grange pledged the vigorous support of agriculture for efforts that would provide an adequate national defense quickly, expressed willingness to work with business and labor against profiteering and suggested an hour be set aside "when all America shall unite in prayer for the preservation of Christianity, democracy and freedom of the individual."

Legislation Aimed At Fifth Column Acts Being Rushed Through By Congress Units

PULLIAM DUE IN HARLINGEN

To Give Preliminary Census Report

HARLINGEN — Frances W. Pulliam of Laredo, district census supervisor, is due here Monday and is expected to give a preliminary report on Harlingen's 1940 population, according to William C. Anderson, chairman of the chamber of commerce census committee.

Anderson said that he was advised the enumeration was completed and the only thing being checked now were names being phoned in by persons who believe themselves to have been overlooked. A few scattered names are still being received daily at the chamber of commerce, he said. The telephone number is 72" in case there are others who are uncertain as to whether they have been included in the count.

Most Valley towns have been conducting a similar clean-up campaign to find families not yet counted, it was stated.

Solon Outhits Marksmen With New U.S. Army Rifle

Says Targets 'Too Large'; Garand And New Johnson Automatic Tested By Lundeen

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senator Lundeen (Fl—Minn), outspoken foe of war and at times a critic of administration defense policies, helped impress fellow legislators with a new army weapon recently by outshooting crack military riflemen.

At a demonstration, asked by Congressmen, of the Army's semi-automatic Garand rifle and a rival gun, the Johnson rifle, Senator Lundeen scored 28 bulls-eyes without a miss, using both weapons.

With the same rifles and at the same distance of 300 yards, crack shots of the 12th Infantry were less consistent.

A 61-year-old veteran of the Spanish-American war, Lundeen rose from his elbows after centering 16 successive shots with the Garand, and observed 'those targets are too big."

At the Camp Perry, Ohio, national rifle matches, he said, the bulls-eyes were only 10 inches in diameter instead of 20.

The Garand fires eight shots without re-loading, and about two and one-half times as fast as the standard Springfield. The Johnson fires eleven successive shots.

FSA DISTRICT LEADER NAMED

Mrs. Mary Gipe New Supervisor

WESLACO — Mrs. Mary Ruth Gipe, Edinburg, has been appointed district home management supervisor for the Farm Security Administration in the nine-county area of the Valley and vicinity and will make her headquarters in Weslaco.

Word of the appointment came from C. M. Evans, regional FSA director, in an Associated Press dispatch.

Previous to Mrs. Gipe's appointment, the Rio Grande area home management work had been directed from San Antonio. Mrs. Gipe was engaged in home management work for the FSA while located at Edinburg.

Office of J. W. Evans, district farm supervisor for the FSA, also is located here. County farm supervisor offices are located at Edinburg, San Benito and Raymondville.

Go To Guatemala

Former Area Woman Plans Tour

MERCEDES—Dr. Marie Betzner Morrow, former Valley girl, left Friday by plane for a tour of Guatemala with Dr. Ethel Ida Sanborn of Corvallis, Oregon, professor of cryptogamic botony at Oregon State College and Carnegie research fellow in palco-botany. Dr. Morrow is professor of biology at the University of Texas. They plan to make some studies while in Guatemala and will return by plane, possibly by way of the Valley.

Dr. Morrow's mother, Mrs. Mary Morrow, lives at Mercedes, and a sister, Mrs. Rogers Kelley, resides at Edinburg.

Dr. Morrow entertained for Dr. Sanborn and Mrs. Kelley in Austin this week with a morning coffee at the home economics tea house. About 100 guests were present.

Magician Is Unable To Enter Own House

GREEN BAY, Wis.—(AP)—No wonder Fred Cobb, who lost the key to his home, was so embarrassed at having to call firemen to help him gain entrance through a window by means of a ladder.

He is a magician by avocation.

DALLAS MAN NO-BILLED

DALLAS—(AP)—Lewis Stone, 48, who was found shot to death Thursday after being charged with an attempted criminal attack on a nine-year-old girl, was no-billed Saturday by the county grand jury. A suicide verdict was returned in Stone's death.

"Let's you and me Build a Home!" easy FHA terms
R. I. BROCKMAN
BROWNSVILLE

Child Fund Aided

40 And 8 Will Get Station Profits

SAN BENITO — Officials of La Societe des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux, Voiture Locale 231, San Benito, said Saturday all profits of operation at the new Cities Service station at Robert's Garage here on Wednesday, May 29, would be turned over to the voiture for use in the child welfare fund.

The money will be used locally this summer to treat under-nourished and tubercular children confined to their beds, Dr. E. O. Seiser, chef de gare, said plans are "to get these children on their feet so they will be able to enter school at the beginning of the next school semester."

Members of the 40 and 8 will be at the station to check pumps and make change, Seiser said.

Townsend Clubbers To Elect Officers

HARLINGEN—Harlingen Townsend club will meet in the city hall auditorium here Monday at 8 p. m., to elect council officers and name delegates to the national convention, I. A. Baker, president, said Saturday.

MISSION — Mrs. Gibbs Spiller of Austin is in Mission for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Julius Franki, and Mr. Franki.

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A delicious blend of 8 vegetables: Celery, Watercress, Parsley, Lettuce, Beet, Carrot, Spinach Tomato. Tastefully seasoned.
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CITIZENS DAY PLAY REVIVED

Meeting Called For Monday Night

BROWNSVILLE—Definite plans to revive plans for a Citizenship Day here will be formulated Monday at 8 p. m. at the Elks hall.

A group of Brownsville citizens interested in reviewing plans called the meeting at a round-table luncheon at the Hotel El Jardin.

Elks Are Sponsors

The responsibility of carrying out plans is to be sponsored by the Elks lodge of Brownsville, Hal Vandever, exalted ruler, said Saturday.

Citizenship Day is the culmination of a program of citizenship training, planned to give young Americans a complete picture of the importance of their part in the administration of public affairs.

All Brownsvilleites interested in furthering the program are urgently asked to attend the Monday night session.

Need Pointed Out

The need for citizenship training, in a world torn by strife and the unleashed forces of subversive influences, was cited at the luncheon.

The Rev. Penrose W. Hirst, who headed the last attempt to hold a Citizenship Day program here, told how plans had been carried to near perfection on paper, but interest lagged when the final push was necessary.

Production Up

Stocks Of Crude Oil Show Increase

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Bureau of Mines reported Saturday stocks of domestic and foreign crude petroleum at the close of the week ended May 18 totaled 257,647,000 barrels, a net increase of 589,000 barrels compared with the previous week and foreign crude decreased 46,000 barrels.

Daily average production for the week was 3,835,000 barrels, an increase of 10,000 barrels compared with the previous week's level. Runs to stills averaged 3,665,000 barrels daily, compared with 3,620,000 barrels for the preceding week. Daily average imports were 129,000 barrels, an increase of 17,000 barrels during the week.

Rangerville Student To Graduate At Tech

HARLINGEN—Miss Dorothy Uki Saimotsu of Rangerville, near here, is a candidate for graduation at Texas Technological College at Lubbock. Miss Saimotsu will take a bachelor of science degree in foods and nutrition.

McALLEN—Dr. S. Joe McKinsey has been issued a building permit for the construction of a $3,500 brick veneer residence on B-C street, City Inspection Engineer C. C. Eckhoff announced Saturday.

Edinburg Honor Students

Miss Ruth Linnard, left, and Miss Jewel Folmar, right, were highest ranking students among members of the graduating class at Edinburg Junior college this year. Miss Linnard, of McAllen, was valedictorian and Miss Folmar, resident of Edinburg, was salutatorian. High boy member of the class was William Motsch of Pharr. (Kerr Photos.)

McAllen Entertains 4-H Club Boys, Dads

McALLEN—Members of the 4-H clubs and their fathers were guests of the McAllen Chamber of Commerce agricultural Friday night at a picnic in Archer Park here.

Paul T. Vickers, chamber manager, welcomed the boys as the "aristocrats of farming," declaring that one of the ambitions of his work as a chamber executive was to keep McAllen farm minded, as "in my opinion McAllen and other Valley cities will always be agricultural communities, with practically all industries related to agriculture."

W. H. Gardner, assistant farm agent, explained the object of the meeting was to interest fathers of the 4-H boys in their sons' work. President George Rylander of the boys' group presided. Talks were made by George Colbath, Harold Reynolds, Dale Jackson, Ed McGinnis, Kenneth Alley, Kiwanis president, and Aaron Reynolds.

County Agent R. G. Burwell said the county now has 465 farm club members, whereas six years ago there were about 15. Burwell exhorted the fathers to give moral support to the boys in their various projects. Every boy described his project. Conrad Roltsch, agriculture committee member, was introduced.

Assisting Gardner and the McAllen chamber in preparing the picnic were the McAllen Bakery, Rutledge's Potato Chip Factory, McAllen Ice Cream Company, Coca Cola Bottling Company and the McGinnis Dairy. Food left after the dinner was donated to the Salvation Army.

Beer Signs Stay

Control Board Power Outlined By Mann

AUSTIN — (AP) — Signs or billboards advertising beer, wine or whiskey are subject to no control by the state liquor board except where morals or health are concerned, Attorney General Gerald C. Mann ruled Saturday.

Liquor Administrator Bert Ford, stating the board was receiving increasing complaints on wide usage of small tin beer signs, asked the attorney general whether the board was empowered to regulate use of such advertising.

RECORD TRIP STORY TOLD

Bishop Moore Tells Of Long Hop

BROWNSVILLE — When Bishop Arthur J. Moore, father of the Rev. William Harry Moore, pastor of the First Methodist church here, arrived in the Valley last autumn, he had completed the longest airplane flight ever undertaken by a missionary.

He was so entranced by the grandeur of the Americas from the air that he was moved to write about it.

His article telling of the trip, mailed from Santiago, Chile, was published recently in the weekly Christian Advocate Magazine.

Bishop Moore made the air voyage by Pan American Airways and Pan American Grace Airways from Buenas Aires to Brownsville after crossing the South Atlantic by boat from South Africa.

"Tall mountains, erupting volcanoes, cities hoary with age and throbbing with life, great and fertile plains have swept by like some huge panorama," the bishop said in describing the adventurous business of Christian missions as seen by PAA.

Press Meet Program Includes Valley Men

MISSION—Two Lower Rio Grande Valley newspapermen, Joe T. Cook, publisher of the Mission Times, and Brad Smith, McAllen correspondent for Texas dailies, will appear on the program of the 61st annual convention to the Texas Press Association at Mineral Wells on June 13-15.

'GRADS' MAKING LOTS OF FOLKS FEEL KINDA OLD

BROWNSVILLE — Memories jogged, and perhaps a few tears were stifled, or even shed, last week in Brownsville, and the Valley, during graduation ceremonies.

Typical was the remark of Assistant Postmaster C. C. Stewart, while attending the high school commencement here Friday night, that "I can't believe it. I can remember that it was just a short while ago that they were little kids.

"I sort of makes you feel old," the assistant postmaster said as he watched the young men and women step forward for their diplomas.

Mr. Stewart has a daughter graduating this week from North Texas State Teachers College, and he recalled that it was "just a short while ago that she was a youngster with curly hair."

Mrs. Velten Leader Of Women's Council

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. W. A. Velten was elected president of the Woman's Council of the Central Christian church at a business session here recently.

Mrs. Paul Bretz was chosen first vice president; Mrs. G. B. Bowman, second vice president; Mrs. W. K. Clore, secretary; Mrs. Henry Ehardt, treasurer, and Mrs. W. S. Lanthorn, literature chairman.

MISSION — Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bridges and children arrived Thursday from Beaumont for a ten day visit with Mrs. Bridges' sister, Mrs. John Wolf, and Mr. Wolf.

—NOTICE—
Dinner will be served on the Roof Sunday evening until 8:00 p. m. with no cover charge
You will enjoy delicious food in the cool breeze of our beautiful Roof Garden
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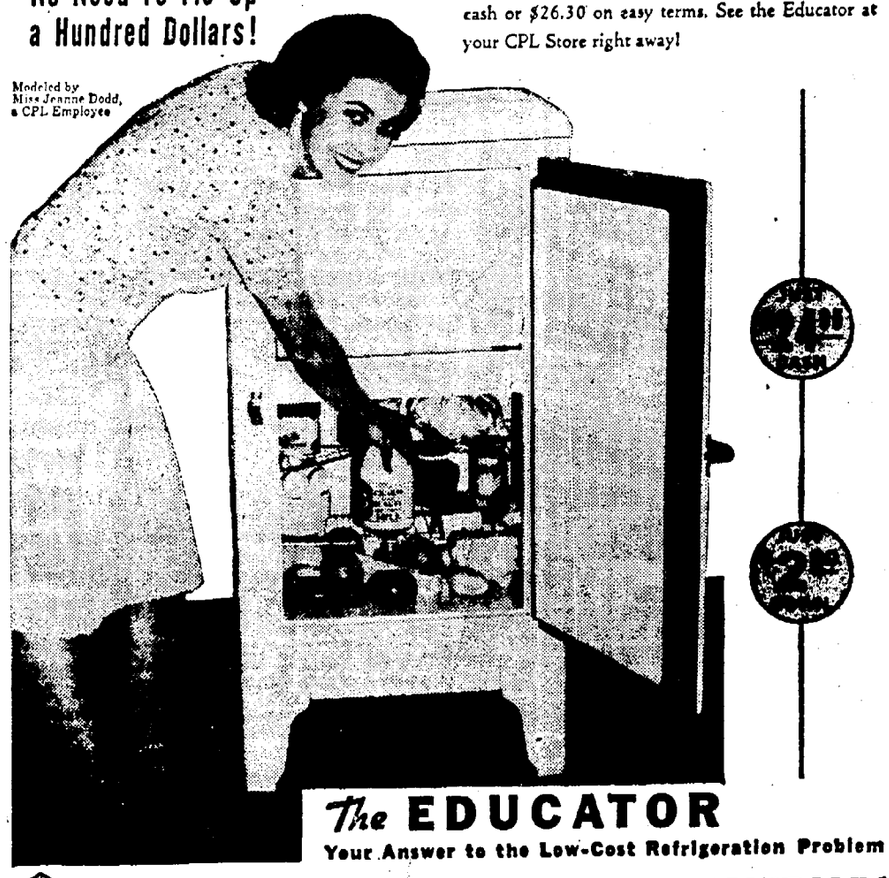
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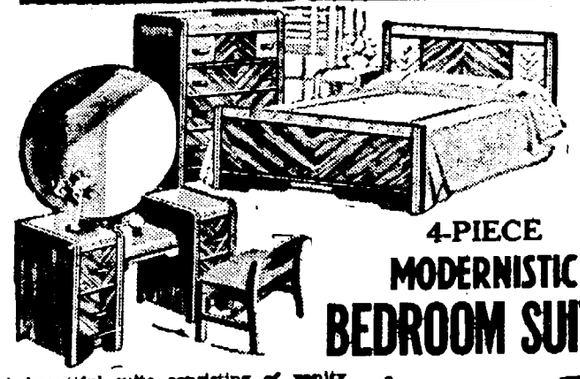
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Maverick Sees Fight At Democratic Meet

Garner Supporters Are Accused Of Plans To Take Control Of Convention

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Mayor Maury Maverick, staunch third-term supporter, Saturday predicted "trouble" at the state Democratic convention in Waco Tuesday and accused a group of Garner-For-President leaders with an agreement to take over exclusive control of the meeting.

"Its going to be a tough fight if they try to sell us down the river," Maverick said.

Maverick was chosen chairman of the Bexar county delegation at a meeting which disclosed strong Roosevelt support. He referred to the recent Garner-Roosevelt "pace agreement" by which Garner supporters were not to attempt to "stop Roosevelt," and third-termers were to declare for Vice President Garner—in preliminary balloting at least.

"At the Munich agreement," Maverick said, "we agreed to give them Sudetenland, but we don't intend to give them Poland, Czechoslovakia and Norway, too."

The mayor charged that certain Garner leaders met in Dallas and agreed to take over the convention to the exclusion of third-term delegates.

A dinner for "underprivileged delegates," he said, would be given in a Waco hotel Sunday night. They will listen to the president's radio address, Maverick added.

Anniversary

Forty years with one company, and he never missed a payday! That's the record of Brownsville City Commissioner Charles Norfleet Hill, above, agent for Railway Express in Brownsville, who celebrates his 40th anniversary with the firm Tuesday.

Artillery Battle

French Guns Fire On Nazi Gibraltar

BASEL—(AP)—A five-hour artillery battle between the French Maginot fortifications and Germany's "Gibraltar of the Rhine" at Istein shattered the comparative silence of the Rhine river front early Saturday.

French guns in the forts at Filgensburg, seven miles west of Basel, began hammering the Istein rock which, like Gibraltar, is pierced with firing galleries and is regarded as one of the Reich's greatest forts.

After half an hour the Germans began returning the fire.

MORE NEW OIL FIELDS

AUSTIN—(AP)—Thirteen new oil fields were discovered in Texas the first quarter of 1940, the railroad commission, which regulates the state's oil industry, reported Saturday.

COURT DENIES VENUE CHANGE

Exchange Heads Are Back In Valley

WESLACO—Officials of the Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange returned Friday from Dallas, where they testified in a hearing on plea of privilege under which they had attempted to have venue in a suit styled Leche and Leche vs. the Exchange removed from the 44th district court in Dallas county to the Hidalgo county district court.

District Judge W. L. Thornton ruled in Dallas that the change of venue should not be granted and denied the plea, from which ruling the exchange excepted and gave notice of appeal.

The Leche advertising firm, which seeks judgment approximating $22,000 from the exchange in a suit over an advertising contract, unsuccessfully sought a temporary injunction to prevent the exchange from disbursing its funds during pendency of the suit. Then the exchange sought to move the case to Hidalgo county for trial on its merits.

MAN DIES IN CRASH

DALHART—(AP)—L. B. Eaton, 55, of Dalhart, was injured fatally Saturday when an automobile driven by L. E. Isabel overturned near here. Isabel was not injured severely.

THE SUNDAY RADIO LOG

WLW (Cincinnati) MBS dial 1260 WOAI (San Antonio) NBC dial 1190
KRGV (Weslaco) NBC dial 1260 KWKH (Shreveport) CBS dial 1100
KPRC (Houston) NBC dial 920 KTSA (San Antonio) CBS dial 550

7:00 a. m.
KRGV—Coast to Coast on Bus
KWKH—Morning Varieties
WLW—Children's Hour
7:30 a. m.
KRGV—Coast to Coast on Bus
KPRC—Skypilot
WOAI—Sunday Drivers
KWKH—C. L. Embrey
WLW—Children's Hour
8:00 a. m.
KRGV—Valley Radio Chapel
KPRC—Bright and Early Choir
KTSA—Church of The Air
WOAI—Bright and Early
KWKH—Church of Air
WLW—Church Forum
8:30 a. m.
KRGV—Southernaires
KPRC—Robert Stewart
KTSA—Christian Science
WOAI—Robt Stewart
KWKH—March of Games
WLW—Robt. Stewart orch
9:00 a. m.
KRGV—Chuck Wagon Gang
KPRC—Homes on Land
KTSA—Chuck Wagon Gang
WOAI—Program Resume
KWKH—Sunday Players
WLW—News Review
9:30 a. m.
KRGV—Real Estate Hour
KPRC—T. J. Bettes Company
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—Music and Youth
KWKH—Major Bowes
WLW—Happy Jim Parsons
10:00 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—News
KWKH—Major Bowes
WLW—Radio City Music Hall
10:30 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Salt Lake City Choir
WOAI—On Your Job
KWKH—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir
WLW—Radio City Music Hall
11:00 a. m.
KRGV—Pilgrimage of Poetry
KTSA—Church of the Air
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Cadle Tabernacle Choir
11:30 a. m.
KRGV—Al and Lee Resler orch
KTSA—Travis Park Services
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Silver Strings
12:00 noon
KRGV—Song Trails
KTSA—Salute to Americas
WOAI—Salute to Americas
KWKH—Salute to Americas
WLW—Music of Masters
12:30 p. m.
KRGV—Salon Silhouttes
KPRC—Song Service
KTSA—So You Know Music?
WOAI—University Chicago Round Table
KWKH—So You Know Music?
WLW—Peters—Organ
1:00 p. m.
KRGV—News and Weather
KPRC—Fogle-West Ensemble
KTSA—Columbia Symphony
WOAI—I Want A Divorce
KWKH—Columbia Symphony
WLW—Your Easy Chair
1:30 p. m.
KRGV—Dance Music
KPRC—Christian Science
KTSA—Columbia Symphony
WOAI—European News
KWKH—Columbia Symphony
WLW—Dayton Y.M.C.A.
2:00 p.m.
KRGV—National Vespers
KPRC—Sunday Players
KTSA—Columbia Symphony
WOAI—Glen Gray orch
KWKH—Sports vs Rebels
WLW—Will Osborn orch
2:30 p. m.
KRGV—Chamber Music Society
KPRC—The World Is Yours
KTSA—Invitation to Learning
WOAI—The World Is Yours
KWKH—Sports vs Rebels
WLW—Aldrich Family
3:00 p. m.
KRGV—Christian Science
KPRC—Yvette
KTSA—Sports Quiz
WOAI—Old Fashioned Revival
KWKH—Sports vs Rebels
WLW—Musical Steelmakers
3:30 p. m.
KRGV—Voice of Hawaii
KPRC—From Hollywood
KTSA—Sweet Rhythm
WOAI—Old Fashioned Revival
KWKH—Sports vs Rebels
WLW—World Is Yours
4:00 p. m.
KRGV—Gordon Gray orch
KPRC—Catholic Hour
KTSA—Exploring Music
WOAI—Catholic Hour
KWKH—Sports vs Rebels
WLW—Church By Road
4:30 p. m.
KRGV—Cavalcade of Hits
KPRC—Melody Memory Moments
KTSA—Gene Autrey
WOAI—Band Festival
KWKH—Gene Autry
WLW—Ted Weems orch
5:00 p. m.
KRGV—European Roundup
KPRC—Jack Benny
KTSA—News of World
WOAI—Jack Benny
KWKH—News of World
WLW—Jack Benny
5:30 p. m.
KRGV—Birthday Party
KPRC—Bandwagon
KTSA—Ellery Queen
WOAI—Band Wagon
KWKH—Ellery Queen
WLW—Professor Quiz
6:00 p. m.
KRGV—Musical Comedy Revue
KPRC—Charlie McCarthy
KTSA—Concert in Rhythm
WOAI—Charley McCarthy
KWKH—Concert in Rhythm
WLW—Charley McCarthy
6:30 p. m.
KRGV—Dance Music Ty Cobb 6:45
KPRC—One Man's Family
KTSA—Bong Styles
WOAI—One Man's Family
KWKH—Song Styles
WLW—One Man's Family
7:00 p. m.
KRGV—Music for Reading
KPRC—Walter Winchell
KTSA—Summer Hour
WOAI—Walter Winchell
KWKH—Summer Hour
WLW—Walter Winchell
7:30 p. m.
KRGV—News, Weather
KPRC—Album Familiar Music
KTSA—Summer Hour
WOAI—Album of Music
KWKH—Summer Hour
WLW—Irene Rich
8:00 p. m.
KRGV—Allan Prescott
KPRC—Hour of Charm
KTSA—Yesterday's Melodies
WOAI—Hour of Charm
KWKH—Take It or Leave It
WLW—Hour of Charm
8:30 p. m.
KRGV—Bobby Byrnes orch
KPRC—Richard Himber
KTSA—Columbia Workshop
WOAI—Richard Himber orch
KWKH—Richard Himber orch
WLW—Amazing America
9:00 p. m.
KRGV—AP News
KPRC—SS Algonquin
KTSA—News Review
WOAI—AP News
KWKH—Headlines
WLW—This Land of Ours
9:30 p. m.
KRGV—Jack Benny
KPRC—Allen Roth orch
KTSA—Kay Kyser orch.
WOAI—Music
KWKH—Kay Kyser orch.
WLW—Moonlight Gardens orch
10:00 p. m.
KRGV—News, Sports
KPRC—Ben Pollock orch
KTSA—News by Air
WOAI—News
KWKH—Ray Noble orch
WLW—Peter Grant, News
10:30 p. m.
KRGV—Charles Spivak orch
KRPC—Francis Craig
KTSA—Orrin Tucker orch
WOAI—Sunday Serenade
KWKH—Jack Coffee orch
WLW—Barney Rapp orch
11:00 p. m.
KRGV—Sign off
KPRC—Carl Molino
KTSA—Pliner and Earl orch
WOAI—Carlos Molino orch
KWKH—Pliner and Earl orch
WLW—Al Donahue orch
11:30 p. m.
KPRC—Radio Chapel
KTSA—Will McCune orch.
WOAI—Billy McDonald Orchestra
KWKH—Will McCune orch
WLW—Moon River

HIDALGO TAX AID PROGRAM SUCCEEDING

April Collections Are High In County

EDINBURG — Hidalgo county's long-range program of adjusting property valuations and delinquent taxes on a basis that will be equitable when the property's earning power is gaining steady headway, Tax Assessor-Collector Clay Everhard said Saturday.

The project is resulting in increased collections of delinquent taxes and in a more favorable showing on current tax payments, he declared.

Total county tax collections in April reached $55,108.81, of which $9,830.07 were current payments including liquor taxes, and $45,278.74 were in delinquent assessments.

No Reduction Available

Everhard estimated that as much as 30 per cent of all taxable property in the county is "strapped" by delinquent taxes and, although productive, the market value of the property is only one-half or one-third of the total tax bill against it. He blamed several conditions for this circumstance. Many of the delinquent taxes date back to 1930, about the time the depression "hit" in this section, at a time when valuations were at their peak and taxes were heavy. As a result, owners allowed their holdings to go delinquent and since then have been unable to make sufficient revenue from the lands to pay the tax bills.

Under the 1935 county refunding agreement, still in effect, the county has no recourse under law toward reduction of such taxes, but in many cases has been able to adjust the assessments to such an extent that the overdue taxes have been liquidated through installment or full payments, Everhard explained.

Co-operation Excellent

The county is receiving what the collector termed "excellent co-operation" from water and school districts and cities in making such adjustments where payments are possible. In some instances, the smaller subdivisions have been more eager than the county to reduce the taxes so the land can be placed on a current basis.

Everhard claims the program has a two-fold reward in that it takes the property off the delinquent rolls and places it on a current basis so payments can be continued. Thus the county receives revenue it could otherwise not exact because of inability of owners to make payments.

The assessor-collector said about two more years of continued effort in the direction of adjusting old, heavy tax bills is still needed before the county approaches a current condition on a large majority of land.

Honored

Veteran Educator Gets Presents

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Annie S. Putegnat, principal of Washington Park school here, was presented a piece of luggage and a leather purse Friday by the school Parent-Teachers' Association, in a special program at the school auditorium.

Pupils made the presentation. Mr. Antonia A. de Garcia and Mrs. Leonor P. de Borja as a special committee aided P.-T. A. officers in contacting members of the organization who contributed to the gifts.

President is Mrs. Severa A. de Sayas; secretary, Mrs. Amelia V. de Tamez; and treasurer, Mrs. J. de los Santos.

Pole Climber Hurt In Bathtub Tumble

GOLDENDALE, Wash.— (AP) —Elmer Hansen, a lineman who climbs tall power poles daily, is receiving hospital treatment for a tumble. He slipped in his bathtub, landed on his chest and injured his diaphram.

Wife Of Salvation Army Chief Killed

PARIS—(AP)—The French press reported Saturday that a Mrs. Climpson, wife of the Salvation Army's director of recreation centers with the British expeditionary force, had been killed in a German air raid near Arras.

McAllen Lions See Film On Navy Life

McALLEN—Navy Recruiting Officer I. B. Hayes, Harlingen, Friday showed pictures of the United States Navy at the luncheon meeting of the McAllen Lions Club. Films showed the Navy's defense strength and life among sailors.

SHOWER GIVEN

RANGERVILLE—A pleasing hospitality of the week was the shower given by Mrs. Fannie Minor Peters to honor Mrs. Bob Ross of Houston.

After an afternoon of games and contests dainty refreshments were served to guests and a number of children.

RESIGNATION ACCEPTED

AUSTIN—(AP)—Resignation of Assistant Attorney General Dick Stout, formerly of Houston and a member of the state's legal staff more than three years, was accepted Saturday by Attorney General Gerald C. Mann.

KIRKLAND RECOVERS

EDINBURG—County Clerk Oscar Kirkland is expected to return to his duties at the Hidalgo county courthouse Monday. He has been recuperating for the past two weeks from an operation performed at San Antonio.

Latin American Fifth Column Watched

WASHINGTON —(AP)— "Fifth column" activities in Latin America, widely expected to multiply many times in case of a German victory in Europe, are occupying the close attention of officials in several government departments.

The officials do not attempt to hide their conviction that if Adolf Hitler wins in Europe his preoccupation in the western hemisphere will not be, at least at first, any direct military threat to these shores, but rather German political activities within the 20 Latin American Republics and the United States.

Such activities, they feel, will be aided by Italian Fascist influences in Latin America, just as Italy is aiding Germany in Europe now by distracting a considerable portion of the French land and British sea forces from the main field of battle.

Various methods for solving the question of German penetration in Latin America are being actively considered. They hinge largely around the view that this is a problem for all of Pan America, not merely the United States, and that the most effective results can be achieved through joint effort of all the republics.

Officials believe that, to avoid the feeling that the United States is engaging in "Yankee Imperialism" in combatting German influence in Latin America, she should have the assistance of the other American republics. If any republic feels it is unable of its own efforts to combat the German activities, it should receive a species of Pan American assistance rather than United States assistance alone.

Reports are constantly reaching the capital of active Nazi influence in Latin America. In Uruguay a government committee has just reported that German propaganda is being spread there in a highly organized form. Mexico also engaged the attention of officials here as the result of reports that Nazi efforts are stirring up trouble there.

The German influence in some Latin American republics is partly based on their large German populations. It is impossible to say how many Germans are living in Latin America, because it is impossible to say exactly what is a German—is he one who came to the western hemisphere in the last few years, or one of the second generation, the third or the fourth?

German populations are strong in Argentina, Southern Chile, Brazil, Mexico and Guatemala. Perhaps the total number of Germans in Latin America is somewhere between 3,000,000 and 5,000,000. They have been much less assimilated than the Italians who, being Latins, more closely resemble the Spanish and Portuguese stock.

Prior to the outbreak of the war in September some of the Latin American republics had Fascist or Nazi parties which were in friendly correspondence with, if not under the domination of, the German Nazi or the Italian Fascist parties. The State Department has not forgotten the abortive attempt of the Integralistas in Brazil to take possession of the government and set up a Fascist dictatorship.

Since the outbreak of the war these parties have decreased in open influence, but their members still remain. Reports reaching here indicate that they are propagating a defeatist current of thought to convince the local populations that a German victory is inevitable and an Allied collapse and breakup certain.

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Nazi Air Force, Jap Navy Are Greatest Threats To American Security

ORGANIZATION OF COALITION GROUP URGED

British Naval Might Seen Nazi Block

By ROGER W. BABSON

RICHMOND, Va., — From the welter of war and armament news of the past fortnight, there are several conclusions that stick out like lighthouses on a dark and rocky shore. First, the war will not be won by Germany until the British navy is scuttled and the French army routed. Second, in a Hitler-controlled Europe, the Nazi air force and the Japanese navy are the two greatest threats to American security. Third, we must cut out "politics" in the United States and form a Coalition Cabinet. Fourth, in the shattered world of 1940, only a spiritual awakening will enable us to meet successfully the economic and political upheavals ahead.

The vital military question that existed when Hitler gave the fateful order to invade Poland last September is still unanswered. That question is, "Can the German air force break the French army and sink the British navy?" Germany has not won this war until that question is answered in her favor. British sea power has ruled Europe since 1588. Until the Royal Navy is broken, England is still the top-notch European nation. Hitler and his powerful juggernaut have done a magnificent job from a military standpoint, but there is nothing yet which indicates a decisive defeat for the Allies.

Lee And Hitler

If the Nazis, air power can break the French army, they are well on their way to victory; but remember their air force must also sink the British navy. Hitler's position is very similar to that of General Robert E. Lee in the War Between The States. Lee was a brilliant general, but he needed western horses and what, northern iron and textiles. The Union's huge, but bungling, land and sea forces choked off these essential supplies without which Lee could not hope to win, no matter how brilliant his blitzkriegs, no matter how daring his lightning thrusts.

Hitler is in the same position. He cannot force Britain and France to their knees so long as they can cut off his food and oil, his iron and copper. So, the big unanswered question is today, just as it was last September, "Can Hitler's air force pulverize the French army and smash the British navy?" America, to be safe, however, must now prepare for an unfavorable answer. A Hitler controlled Europe immediately changes the entire outlook for American security. If the Germans win, we will inevitably tangle with them over the enforcement of the Monroe Doctrine. Hence, a German victory means a gigantic increase in our tax bills to cover defense costs for this country.

Hitler Victory Costly

It means an immediate outlay of $5,000,000,000 for a second navy to replace the British Navy which is now patrolling the Atlantic for us. In addition, we must spend at least $3,000,000,000 more per year to maintain a sufficient air and land force to back up the two fleets. We would need an Atlantic navy because we cannot afford to take our present fleet out of the Pacific. Not only must we protect ourselves against Germany, but also against Japan. Her navy is growing by leaps and bounds. It is difficult to get accurate figures, but many observers believe the Japanese navy is now about 75 per cent as large as ours. One of the biggest reasons for these gains is the fact that Japan gets twice as much ship for every dollar she spends as we do.

The wide disparity in costs is due to the varying prices for labor and raw materials. There is no eight-hour day in Japan, no five-day week, no labor unions. We are furnishing Japan with many of the essential materials with which she builds her battleships. To Der Fuehrer and Il Duce, the United States is crazy to supply Japan with the materials she needs to build a huge navy whose main purpose is to menace the United States. Hitler and Mussolini would put a stop to such practice in less time than it takes to tell about it. In the tremendous defense job that faces us, nothing—neither labor leaders nor wage-hour restrictions—must be allowed to stand in our way as they did in France.

More Efficiency Needed

If Germany's blitzkrieg wins, we will be living in a hostile world. Totalitarian governments will face us on all sides. For our own security, we must inject some of the efficiency of the dictator nations into our own democracy. As the first move toward such a goal, we need a spiritual awakening which will emphasize that courage is the only security and progress comes only through willingness to sacrifice. There is no question that Hitler chose 1940 because he was sure there was nothing to fear from American intervention. He knew that 1940 would be a year of political disarmament in America.

Many suggestions have been made in the last few days calling for a coalition government. My feeling is that whoever wins the election this November should include in his Cabinet representatives from ALL parties. Whether we get into the war or not, there are great sums to be spent and great problems to be solved. These vast sums should be expended and these problems should be tackled under the direction of a Coalition Cabinet. "Politics" must be prevented from handicapping us in this gigantic task. Moreover, as a solution of our domestic problems, it will give the nation renewed confidence if all candidates will promise to bring a Coalition Cabinet to Washington!

PORT ISABEL FISHING SCHOONER IS DETAINED IN TAMPICO BY MEXICAN COAST GUARD CUTTER

Above is shown the 14-ton fishing schooner "The Neptuna," out of Port Isabel, which was detained by Mexican authorities off Tampico Saturday when she appeared in Mexican territorial waters without government permission. Below is shown Captain Leon Davis, master of the vessel which is owned by George Foote of Dallas. (Photos by Johnny Martin.)

Men Are Released By Authorities But Boat Is Held

PORT ISABEL—Mexican government officials in Tampico Saturday held the "Neptuna" 60-foot auxiliary schooner, out of Port Isabel, after it was seized by a Mexican coast guard cutter off Tampico, according to word received here.

Capt. Leon Davis, with the boat's owner, George Foote of Dallas, and a crew of five commercial fishermen, were detained for a short while, but were released after making statements to the Mexican authorities.

Left Tuesday Night

The "Neptuna," which is one of the largest boats in the coastwise fishing service and operates out of Port Isabel a large part of the year, left Port Isabel last Tuesday night for a fishing trip of a week or ten days.

Commander Pedro Calderon, of the Cutter G-23, which escorted the "Neptuna" into Tampico, said he stopped the vessel about a half mile off shore. He ordered the American boat to stop for search, and although he found nothing suspicious, he detained the vessel on a charge of violating Mexican laws which prohibit navigation in coastal waters without a permit.

Owner Is Questioned

In his statement to the Mexican officials, Foote said he had bought the "Neptuna" three months ago.

Capt. Davis told the Mexican authorities that he had not intended taking the vessel into Mexican territorial waters.

At Port Isabel, J. H. Schmidt, commercial fish house operator, said the "Neptuna" had left Port Isabel Tuesday night for a regular fishing trip.

No Word Received

Schmidt said that he owned no interest in the vessel, but that Foote sold him whatever fish he happened to bring in. He said Foote is not a commercial fisherman, but a railroad businessman, and makes the trip with the "Neptuna" for recreation.

No word has been received from the vessed since it left Port Isabel, Schmidt said.

The "Neptuna" was one of the vessels that searched the Gulf several months ago when the "Jerry Ann" fishing boat was lost with two men aboard.

POPE SPEEDS RAID REFUGE

Diplomats Offered Use Of Shelters

VATICAN CITY—(AP)—Papal authorities Saturday recognized the possibility of Italian entrance into the war by offering refuge to diplomats accredited to the Holy See and speeding completion of Vatican City's air raid shelters.

Prelates indicated Pope Pius XII is convinced Italy is going to war but that he refuses to leave Vatican City or consider using the air raid shelter provided especially for him.

The offer of refuge was made by Luigi Cardinal Maglione, Papal secretary of state. The diplomats, who ordinarily live outside the Vatican City, were asked by letter to say whether they would return to their countries or take up residence in Vatican City in event Italy dropped her non-belligerency.

Bombing of Vatican City—Slightly less than 109 acres at the edge of Rome—is considered highly improbable in ecclesiastical circles, even if Rome itself is bombed.

But scrupulous concern for safety of the city's inhabitants, numbering about 1,000, caused building of shelters, since it might be difficult for bombers to distinguish the Papal city, particularly at night during blackouts.

Texas Truck Crops Show Small Advance

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas truck crops did not make much advancement during the first half of May.

The agricultural marketing service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture reported cool nights and lack of moisture in some areas resulted in materially reduced prospects.

NOVEL DEFENSE IDEAS OFFERED TO SENATE UNIT

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Uncle Sam has been offered a lot of novel suggestions since "total" war struck Europe.

Here are a few of the ideas recommended to the Senate military affairs committee:

A machine to spray the enemy with liquid cement, which would harden, immobilizing the troops.

A parachute bomb to be shot into the midst of attacking planes. The hovering planes would collide with the bombs, detonating them, thus causing "horrible slaughter to the attacker."

A "magic grease" which, when poured down a cannon barrel, would increase velocity and range 20 times.

Unemployment Drop Reported For April

NEW YORK—(AP)—Unemployment dropped to 8,981,000 in April from 9,267,000 in March, a decline of 3.1 per cent, the National Industrial Conference Board said Saturday.

There were 614,000 fewer men and women without work last month than in April last year, the board said.

PRESS CHIEF FLAYS KING

Nazi Says England Started War

BERLIN—(AP)—Dr. Otto Dietrich, Adolph Hitler's own press chief, Saturday replied to the Empire Day broadcast of King George VI with the warning, "German arms, will, George of England, give the reply that is due you."

Addressing the King as "you miserable hypocrite," Dietrich answered charges of German aggression in a half-page article carried by the German press under the red-ink caption "Reply to a King."

He declared England was responsible for the war and its horrors.

"Your address, George of England, was not royal but pitiable, the Nazi press chief said.

"If you were a man then, now, in the hour of decision as a challenger who must face his fate on the battlefield, you should have acknowledged the reasons which caused England to unleash this war, instead of hiding hypocritically behind moral principles which you have no right whatever to invoke."

VFW Meeting Is Set

HARLINGEN — Regular meeting of the Harlingen V. F. W. Auxiliary will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall here Tuesday at 7:30 p. m., officers announced Saturday.

Estimate Is Given On American Wheat

WASHINGTON—(AP)— The Agriculture Department reported Saturday that the American wheat supply in the 1940-41 season would total approximately 963,000,000 bushels on the basis of present indications.

This includes an estimated 1940 crop of 675,000,000 bushels and a July 1 carry-over of 288,000,000 bushels of old grain.

Belgian Refugees Go Through Paris

PARIS—(AP)—Approximately 200,000 Belgian refugees have passed through Paris on their way to shelter in designated areas of France and more are still coming, Belgian authorities said Saturday.

French People Told To Beware Orders

PARIS —(AP)— Premier Reynaud cautioned the French people Saturday to beware of false orders which, he said, German agents are spreading by telephone and handbills with signatures of French officials —sometimes even his own.

Auxiliary To Meet

HARLINGEN — Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary meeting, set for last week, will be held Tuesday, May 28, at the Harlingen Methodist Church, at 3 p. m., according to announcement Saturday.

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AIR EXPRESS SHOWS GAINS

April Increase Is 42 Percent

BROWNSVILLE — Air express shipments increased 42.3 per cent at the Brownsville airport in April, compared with the same month a year ago, C. N. Hill, agent for Railway Express, said Saturday.

The air express shipments totaled 1,032 in April, compared with 725 of April, 1939, an increase of 307 shipments, Mr. Hill stated.

Mr. Hill further revealed a 23.38 per cent increase in air express revenue for the month here.

The European war, with resultant marked increases in business and travel between the United States and Latin America, was cited as the predominant factor for the spurt.

Air lines here recently doubled schedules from eight to 16 planes daily to provide for the flow.

There was an 18.76 per cent nation-wide increase in air express shipments in March, and a 19.6 per cent in gross revenue, the nation-wide figures showed.

Thanks Given

5000 Visit Exhibit In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE—The WPA sewing room here Saturday concluded "This Work Pays Your Community Week" following a series of open nights and exhibits.

About 5,000 Brownsvilleites thronged the quarters during the week here to see the work underway in the 11 different departments.

Mrs. Olga Bodwell, supervisor, Saturday expressed thanks to city officials, merchants and others, who cooperated.

Crack France-Italy Express Run Halted

PARIS—(AP)—The Simplon-Orient express, one of Europe's crack trains, running from Paris through Switzerland to Italy, has been cancelled as an "economy measure," the ministry of public works announced Saturday. It said this action was only temporary.

Anti-Fifth Column Group Is Proposed

AUSTIN—(AP)—State Representative James E. Taylor of Kerens, a lieutenant in the National Guard, Saturday proposed that American Legion post and battery and company commanders of the guard be organized into an anti-Fifth Column group in Texas.

British Fliers Shot By Irish Policemen

BELFAST, Northern Ireland—(AP)—Three British fliers, returning to an airfield in County Antrim by automobile Friday night, were shot and slightly wounded by highway police whose challenge they apparently failed to hear.

Navy Launches New Destroyer Vessel

BOSTON—(AP)—The Navy launched a new 1,630-ton $5,500,000 destroyer, the U. S. Gwin, Saturday at the Boston Navy Yard, where four other destroyers are being built.

Outdoor Musical Revue Scheduled For McAllen

Little Theatre Director Combs Valley For Talent; Presentation Set June 3

McALLEN—Taking a flier into the outdoors in a presentation guaranteed to be something new and very different, the Valley Little Theatre will offer a revue June 3 in the patio of the Casa de Palmas Hotel at 8:30 p.m.

The west end of the patio will be converted into a stage—and the audience will sit under the starlight as the skits are shown in clever arrangement.

The program will be fast moving, Director Paul Moore said, Saturday, thrilled with the idea of an outdoor show in the sub-tropical summertime. There will be sketches, singing, dancing and a brief but classy style show. The natural scenery will be augmented by special scenic effects in the dramatized song numbers

Moore has combed the Valley for talent and has acquired this interesting array:

Mrs. H. R. Kamlah, Mrs. Marvin Downs, Mrs. Fred Petsch, Lester Brecht, Marvin Downs, Connie Green, Mrs. Jack Nelson, Lila Beth Culwell, Eva Sue Murphy, Becky Clark, Phyliss Jones, Nikki St. Ore, David Calvin, Orin Anderson, Frank Crabtree, Stanley Addington, Woody Pride, Frances Jennings, and many others whose names will be divulged at a later date.

The musical accompaniments will be played on pianos and an electric organ by Mrs. J. Faye Jones and Jimmie Martin.

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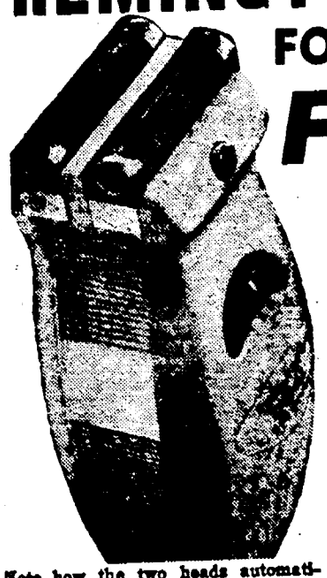

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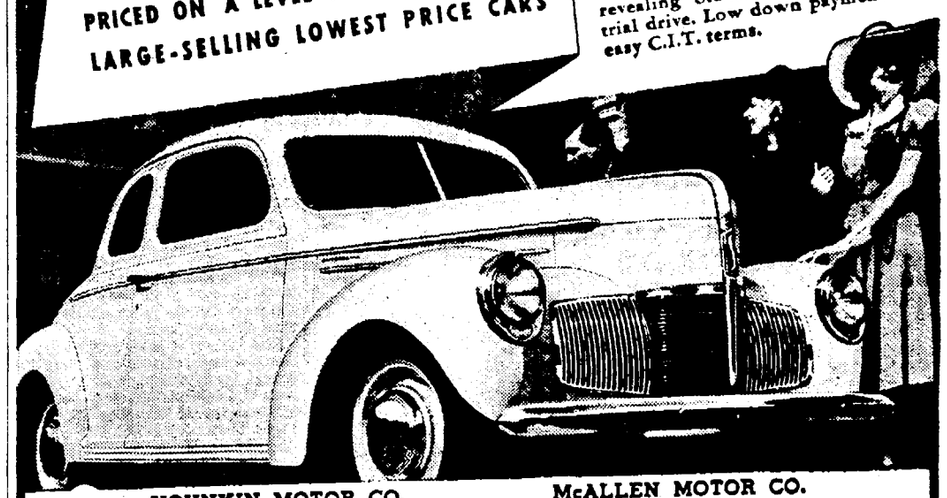

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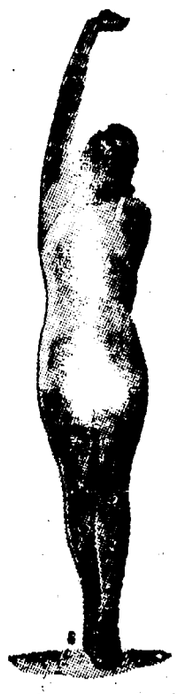

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SPORTS

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DUG OUTA THE SPORTS BAG!

By E. C. Doc OSBORN

Baseball's Import

Somehow we cannot refrain from passing on t those who may have missed reading the following editorial, which appe red in the Greensboro, N. C., Daily News and which has been copied freely.

With conditions such as they are abroad we fe that the editorial might bring home to many just one fact that should make all of us realize how wonderful it is to be living in the greatest nation on earth. And how thankful we should be for the privilege of living here.

Somehow the opening of the baseball season—formally characterized by the inauguration of play in the major leagues today and spreading into hu..dreds of minor leagues and endless towns and hamlets where the play runs from semi - professional organizations down to youngsters who with a yarn ball and available pieces of board engag in two old cat—strikes us as meaning more to the country, in its practical effects and its symbolism, th at any time since Abner Doubleday devised the game full 100 years ago.

It is not baseball, in its technical aspects, its pennant races, its arguments over the prowess of respective clubs, that grips our thought now. Rather it is baseball's sportsmanship, baseball's influence, baseball's happy, free and wholesome characteristics which we herein recognize and hail.

There are basic elements of democracy in baseball. Team play transcends, but team play in turn rests upon individual performance, conduct and ability. The good of the team, the ultimate victory, comes first; but individual initiative aggressiveness and worth have their reward in triumphs achieved and, in the case of the professional sport stipends received.

Baseball is played according to the rules. Neutrality is not violated. Small nations are not overrun. Opposing teams a.. not bombed or poison-gassed in contravention of international law. Where decisio . ust be made, where rules must be interpreted, where teams must be retired, the umpire functions. Umpires, it is true, are occasionally manhandl-; ed but back of the umpire stand a higher official of the league and the law itself to guarantee protection against physical violence. Baseball is umpired, and baseball is policed.

Raucous demonstrations, which rarely get out of hand, .re for that matter part of the game in its democratizing aspects and effect. Where is to be found a more democratic crowd than that which packs a grandstand or edges a sideline, rooting for its favorite, jawing with the umpire, jostling, commingling, engaging in repartee which breaks down all class lines and economic, social and financial distinctions?

A stimulating picture of free, happy, fortunate, peaceful America is baseball as it gets under way. Where else in the whole wide world could so many thousands gather without fear of molestation, without worry of bombers or sub-marines or casualty lists in process of preparation? Mother's sons of Europe have donned their uniforms, their gas-masks, their bayonets and go out to combat with machine guns and aircraft. Mother's sons of America don sweat shirts and flannels, mitts and gloves and go out to meet with bat and ball their rivals and their enemies on the sandlot and the greensward to the accompaniment of cheers and of good-natured ribbing instead of the crash of bombs, the whine of bullets and groans of the maimed and dying.

Baseball is America; and thank God that it is.

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Calling Long Drivers!

Siege Guns of American golf will have a holiday when they come to the thirteenth and sixteenth holes of the Canterbury C. C. during the National Open Championship, June 6 - 8.

The sixteenth is 620 yards—one of the longest holes ever found in a national open championship—and against prevailing winds plays many more yards. For all but the most terrific hitters, who can put their drives up a hill, the second shot will be blind and hazardous. The thirteenth, played from a new tee, will stretch 550 yard and is so constructed that few, if any, will reach the green in two.

For lovers of long hitting, it is suggested that vantage points along the thirteenth and sixteenth fairways be found early. The championship may be won or lost on those back brec.ers.

Early practicers over Canterbury stamp the fifteenth hole as one of the trickiest. Merely as to length is is an average two shotter, but again the prevailing wind is head on and a road behind the green will be a strong deterent against overbold second shots.

Jimmy Demaret, the Houston favorite, dropped in on Canterbury a few days since and turned the course in 70—two under par—although obliged to play some temporary greens. James found the windy layout to his liking but intends giving it his full attention for a week or two days in advance of the championship, so it cannot produce any unexpected difficulties once the real shotting starts.—FRANCIS J. POWERS.

Comes From Far Behind For Victory

Defeats Mrs. Page In Thriller

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Valiant Mrs. Frank Goldthwaite substituted a great heart for a lagging golf game in the darkest spots of a dramatic golf match Saturday, coming back on the fading holes to defeat Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page, 2 and 1, for the Women's Southern title.

The hometown idol, champion of Texas and winner of the Southern as a budding youngster seven years ago, courted trouble for twenty-six holes and then quickly swept away the Chapel Hill, N. C., veteran with a grooved game that reappeared as suddenly as it left her in the morning round.

Three down and eleven to play, staying that close to Mrs. Page's velvety game only through some miraculous recovery shots that came hole after hole, the attractive young mother of two infant daughters started firing at the pins.

Mrs. Page Falters

Just as suddenly did Mrs. Page's game start folding. On the twenty-seventh she pulled her tee shot into the rough and floundered through the weeds and trees on three more shots before finally reaching the green. Mrs. Goldthwaite picked up the hole with a coasting six.

Into the last nine they went, Mrs. Page still leading by two holes and twelve feet from the hole with her second iron. Mrs. Goldthwaite, eight feet short of the green, studied long the chip into the rolling green. She chipped it perfectly, watched it roll fifty feet and into the hole for a birdie three.

Mrs. Goldthwaite won a Southern golf title with that shot. It set her game on fire and she squared the match at the thirtieth green.

Mrs. Page's tee shot on the thirtieth hole settled under a clump of trees and in attempting to hook around the trouble and on the green, she looped an iron second out of bounds. She tried again; hit the tree on the second shot. Finally on in four, she three-putted for a seven to lose and put the Fort Worth woman on even terms for the first time in the match.

Mrs. Goldthwaite Goes Up

On the next hole, the thirty-first, Mrs. Page tossed away another with a poorly played tee shot to the rough behind trees, a fair second and an eventual three-putt. It put Mrs. Goldthwaite one up—the margin she had struggled for throughout the day.

The long thirty-second was halved in bogie sixes by the tired pair but Mrs. Goldthwaite made it two up and three to play by parring the thirty-third while Mrs. Page was trapped short of the green and too far past the hole on her recovery blast.

One more, on the thirty-fourth, Mrs. Goldthwaite called on her courage after missing a third shot, laying her fourth dead to the pin from fifty yards to gain a halve. On the final hole the Texan coolly stepped up to the four-footer that meant the title and buried it with a firm stroke.

Throughout the morning round, Mrs. Goldthwaite, usually almost monotonously steady, played a quivvering game that left her in trouble time and again.

A Weird Par

Remarkable recoveries from traps and the rough kept her abreast of Mrs. Page through the ninth. She stunned the gallery of 1,500 on the eleventh hole with a weird par four that seemingly didn't phase stolid Mrs. Page.

Over in the rough off the tee, she took a half swing, struck a tree with her club and barely made the fairway. From 75 yards she sent an eight iron nestling ten feet below the hole and dropped it for a halve. Once more her magic brought her out of trouble on the thirteenth and fifteenth holes—but Mrs. Page threw in rally checking birdie putts on both those holes to nullify positively brilliant recoveries from traps that left Mrs. Goldthwaite with cinch par putts.

On the eighteenth Mrs. Page assumed her lunch-time lead of one hole with her finest bit of shotmaking of the morning round. Behind a trap off the tee on the 44-yard hole, she lifted a 200-yard brassie down the fairway, pitched to within ten feet of the hole from 75 yards out and dropped the putt for her third birdie in six holes.

Mrs. Page was 41-36—77 for the morning round; Mrs. Goldthwaite 41-37—78.

'Now There's A Real Fishing Rodeo Trophy'

When Dr. Richard L. Sutton of Kansas City, Mo., (above), world famous deep sea fisherman and big game hunter, was shown the Southland Life Insurance Company's marlin trophy, awarded each year in the Rio Grande Valley Fishing Rodeo held at Port Isabel, he wasted little time in stating that it was the finest he had ever seen. He consented to be "caught" by the photographer as he looked the trophy over. Despite the fact that he might not compete for the award this year, he let it be known that he intended to be present during the fishing event just to get a look at the lucky fisherman who will carry the huge trophy home. (Photo by Johnny Martin.)

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Wood Continues To Stay 'Hot' In Met Tourney

Breaks Records For 36 Holes

NEW YORK—(AP)—Craig Wood, the blonde slugger from Mamaroneck, N. Y., shattered all listed records for 36 holes in a "major" golf tournament Saturday when he fired a second round of 66, four under par for the Forest Hill Field Club, on top of his amazing opening round of 64 Friday, to hold his lead in the Metropolitan Open championship.

His 36-hole total of 130 was the lowest ever recorded in a tournament of National or sectional importance over a full-length course. Byron Nelson, Natonal Open champion, scored a brace of 65's in the Phoenix Open last winter, but the nearest approach to Wood's mark in a major tournament was the 132 scored by Henry Cotton in the 1934 British Open.

On the heels of Wood, but five strokes behind Saturday, was Ben Hogan, the youthful Texan who plays out of White Plains, N. Y. Hogan was the only other player to break par on the second round, scrapping under the wire with a 69 for a halfway total of 135.

Ray Billows, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., amateur ace, held a lease on third place as the field was paired up for the final 36 holes Sunday. After equalling Hogan's opening round 66, Billows slipped on the back nine Saturday to finish with 73 for a 139 total. Charles Yansick of Central Valley, N. Y., with 68-72—140 was the fourth of 86 starters to stay within limits of par for two rounds.

Dr. Sutton, Noted Angler, Tries Port Isabel Waters

By E. C. (Doc) OSBORN

PORT ISABEL—"I know newspapermen and they can write a better story when they don't know anything about the subject than when they know all the facts."

With those words Dr. Richard L. Sutton, of Kansas City, Mo., who could lay claim to being the world's foremost salt water fisherman but who prefers to be known as a fellow who just "goes fishin'" because his "family likes fish," chuckled and settled back in a chair in his tourist cottage here prepared for the worst.

Perhaps it would be well to first give a bit of information as to who Dr. Sutton really is. His titles might help some and they are: M.D., Sc. D., LL. D., F.R.S. (Edin.). He is Professor of Dermatology at the University of Kansas; Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society of Great Britain; Member of the French Geographical Society. In addition to all these honors which have been bestowed upon Dr. Sutton, he belongs to numerous national and state medical societies.

Despite all his titles, Dr. Sutton is a fisherman of the nth degree. He proved this when he went after tarpon here in the face of very unfavorable weather and water conditions. While he failed to bring to gaff a silver king, which he says is his favorite fish to catch, he saw plenty milling around and he called them "snooty" for not giving him a chance to stage a battle.

"You fellows just don't know what kind of a fishing spot you have here," Dr. Sutton stated. "Just imagine being able to step out your back door and catching tarpon, marlin and sailfish.

"And take the Valley as a whole. Where could you find another place like it. My only regret is that I haven't been down here before. But you can bet I will be back often to fish with you."

When the coming Rio Grande Valley Fishing Rodeo was brought to Dr. Sutton's attention and he looked over the big marlin trophy donated by the Southland Life Insurance Company, he said, "That is the best looking trophy I ever saw. I am not much of a competitive fisherman but I certainly intend to make every effort to be back during the rodeo whether I fish or not."

Marlin have occupied the attention of the noted angler and he has boated 267, the largest of which weighed 667 pounds. In February of this year he made one of his numerous trips to New Zealand and had excellent luck. In his opinion, the waters of Mayor Island near Tauranga, New Zealand, offer the finest fishing to be found anywhere with the Texas coast ranking second. As evidence of the New Zealand fishing, Dr. Sutton boated 25 marlin and to demonstrate his ability as a fisherman, he lost but two of the 27 hooked.

In addition to his reputation as a deep sea fisherman, Dr. Sutton is a big game hunter and has made numerous trips to Africa, Alaska and other hunting paradises. He is already set for another trip to Alaska this fall. Among the books he has written on his hunting expeditions are, "An Africa Safari," "The Long Trek," "Tiger Trails in Southern Asia," and "An African Holiday."

A daughter, Mrs. Lewis H. Moore, lives in McAllen, where Dr. Sutton has spent several days recently, and a brother, Dr. W. P. Sutton, is a Port Isabel resident. These facts are added incentive for him to visit the Valley, Dr. Sutton stated, but he confessed that he intended to combine the family visiting with more tries at the tarpon that evaded his hook here.

Didn't I tell you I knew newspapermen," Dr. Sutton said as the interview ended.

Michigan Walks Off With Title In Big 10 Meet

Piles Up Total Of 51 Points

EVANSTON, Ill. —(AP)— Michigan, scoring in 12 or 15 events with a powerful exhibition of team strength, won its fourth straight Big Ten outdoor track championship Saturday with a total of 51 points.

Indiana, greatly handicapped by an injury to little Roy Cochran, challenged the Wolverines midway of the meet, but could not sustain their bid in the late events, finishing second with 35 1-2 points.

Cochran was withdrawn from the 440 yard dash Friday so he would be ready to compete in four events, Saturday, but he pulled a muscle in the 100 yard dash and was forced to retire from the meet. He scored only one point a fifth place in the century dash, not only depriving Indiana of points in other events but preventing him from defending his individual title in the 220 yard low hurdles.

Heavy Softball Card At McAllen

McALLEN—Seven softball contests are in store for local fans at the McAllen Softball Diamond during the coming week.

Monday night, the Engelman Gardens Won-Up club meets the Whalen team in a county league contest.

Tuesday, the Lions and the Square Deal 10 clash at 8 p. m. and Western Auto and Thompson's follow in two city league games.

The Masterettes, girls' squad, has a game scheduled Wednesday night and again Thursday night when they meet the Coca Cola girls team from Brownsville. The McAllen Lions and the Weslaco Lions will also crooss bats Thursday night.

The McAllen All Stars will be hosts to the Won-Up group Friday night.

Games the past week saw McAllen drop Sharyland 8 to 5, Whalen's take McAllen Tuesday 7-4, Edinburg drop Engleman's 9-2 Tuesday, Engleman's take a 3-2 decision over Edinburg Thursday and McAllen bounce back to take Whalen's Friday 9-4.

RAIN HALTS QUALIFYING

INDIANAPOLIS — (AP) — Rain washed out qualification trials at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway Saturday, leaving only three more days in which drivers can earn their places in the starting lineup for the 500-mile race May 30.

Thirty-three cars can start the event, but only 18 have qualified. Rain and cold weather, described by track officials as "the worst in many years," have prevented pilots from even making many practice spins this week.

In order to satisfy a man give him what he thinks he wants.

Girls Softball

League Swings Into Action Tuesday

McLLEN — The Valley Girls Softball League swings into full schedule this week with Raymondville invading La Feria, Edcouch-Elsa going to Mercedes and McAllen going to Edinburg Tuesday night with the prospects of still another game to be added for Tuesday. In case the Sebastian girls complete the organization of their team by that time they will tackle the San Perlita girls at Raymondville Tuesday night.

The La Feria Boosters, newly uniformed and rearing to a.. nge their defeat by McAllen, will attempt to turn the table when they tackle the Masterettes at Mc llen Wednesday night. Thursday night, the San Perlita girls will journey to Edcouch-Elsa and Mercedes will go to Raymondvill.

Original plans called for only a six club league but with San Perlita and Sebastian both sporting good girl teams and looking for new worlds to conquer they have decided to hop into the league swim and try their luck.

Records Tumble In Southern AAU Meet

BATON ROUGE, La. —(AP)— A high wind failed to slow up fast-stepping Charlie Belcher, former Georgia Tech sprinter as the National A. A. U. indoor 600-yard champion ran the fastest quarter mile of the year, a record-breaker, in the 33rd annual Southern A. A. U. Senior Day track a..d field games.

Belcher finished strongly in 46.7, smashing the old record by 1.6 seconds.

Louisiana State University's team, competing on its own field, ran off with the championship trophy piling up 75 points. Southwestern of LaFayette was second team, with 25.

The only other record breaking was produced by Rice's blond star, Fred Wolcott. The National collegiate high and low hurdles champion lowered the hi.. hurdle record from 14.9 to 14.4 s.. equaled the mark of 24.1 in the low sticks despite the wind.

Watson Will Fight Garcia In McAllen

McALLEN—Gene Watson of San Francisco is matched against Carlos Garcia of Monterrey in the 10-round main event boxing bout scheduled for the McAllen Sports arena Friday night.

Watson, still young and spry although he's been in the boxing game for nearly 20 years, won a TKO over Bobbie O'Hara in the second round last week.

Adan Pepe of Mission and Enrique Sada are matched for the eight-round semi-final.

Flash Thomas of McAllen and Tony Ayala of McAllen are carded for a preliminary, with Henry Wright of McAllen and the Ebony Flash of Weslaco matched in the other opener.

TROJANS WIN TITLE

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—The University of Southern California's mighty Trojans captured their fifth consecutive track and field championship of the Pacific Coast Conference Saturday.

The Warriors of USC turned back the challenge of Stanford's strongest team in many a year and edged out a narrow two-point margin of victory.

Houston To Stage State Net Tourney

HOUSTON—(AP)—Houston's first state tennis championship tournament in 12 years will open June 3 on the Golfcrest Country Club's battery of 16 new clay courts.

Officials said Saturday they were making efforts to attract top players of several states to compete for the title now held by Bobby Curtis of Rice Institute, former three-time state interscholastic ruler.

Curtis will not be the favorite in this year's tourney, for Frank Guernsey, National intercollegiate champion among other better known players, will be entered.

There is a possibility that Wilmer Allison, former Davis Cup player, may go after the singles crown. Allison, who lives in Austin, plays little competitive tennis these days, but may be induced to enter.

WHITEHEAD TO TOLEDO

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—Pitcher Johnny Whitehead, whom the Browns obtained from the Chicago White Sox last year, was released on option Saturday to Toledo of the American Association. He joined the White Sox from Dallas in 1935.

Up-State Softball Teams Scheduled At Edinburg

EDINBURG—Valley softball fans are in store for a treat during the month of June. In addition to the scheduled games of the Hidalgo County Softball League, Manager Abe Bloomfield of the league leading Edinburg All Stars announced Saturday that plans were being made to bring at least four up-state softball teams to meet the Stars on the Edinburg diamond.

Bloomfield did not state which teams would make the trip to the Valley, but it was disclosed that negotiations were being made with the Tiffany Tile Co. of San Antonio, Southern Select Beermen of Houston, the Victoria All Star aggregation and the Freer Oilers of Freer.

Bloomfield and the teams' advisory board, consisting of Ira Haddock, Steve and Lou Piper, are working out plans to bring these teams to the Valley and still not conflict with the regular scheduled league tilts. The Stars at the present are at the head of the league, boasting a record of 11 wins and only two losses.

Last season, the Edinburg club engaged several up-state teams, playing Freer, York Oil Field Supply of Houston, Laredo, and Alice, on the local diamond. These games were judged to be some of the best played in the Valley and Bloomfield is anxious to bring stronger competition here for his boys. The Stars defeated Freer 1 to 0 in 13 innings and then took a thriller 3 to 2 from the same club after the game traveled 18 innings. They lost a 10 to 0 game to York but came back strong to gain a 5 to 2 decision over the same club the next night. In the nightcap, they lost a heartbreaker to the Oil Field Supply team when Dick Berry smashed out a long home run for the only talley of the game. The Stars smothered Laredo 13 to 2 and beat Alice 11 to 1.

With every man back this season, Bloomfield is mapping plans to go places with his stellar club. Plans are being made to take the team to several up-state tournaments.

Members of the team are Max Cavazos, Stanley Cowan, Bill Southwell, Mike McKinney, Melvin Hearne, Virgil Hodges, Mitchell Bloomfield, Jerry Stephens, Shia Young, Doug Pressley, Laymon Skinner, Put Williams, Alex Champion, Wilbur McClelland, Bill Snider, and Bloomfield.

Rodeo Scheduled In Arroyo Arena Next Week-End

Top-Notch Cowboys Are Entered

HARLINGEN — The third of a series of rodeos will be held in Harlingen at the Arroyo Rodeo Arena on Saturday night, June 1, at 8:30 p.m. and on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 pm.

The two previous shows were well attended and Valley rodeo fans agree they were fast shows with plenty of action. The two coming performances will feature plenty of riding on bucking horses, wild brahma bulls and wild Spanish mules. The other feature events will include bulldogging, wild cow milking, break-away and tie-down calf roping. All the stock to be used is in splendid condition and will give the cowboys a tussel in all events. A large number of the top Valley cowboys as well as up-state contestants have sent in their entrance fees, and are practising daily in order to be in the best of condition to contest for the prize money offered.

A cowboy parade will be held at 4 p.m. Saturday afternoon in downtown Harlingen. Anyone riding horseback in the parade will be admitted free to the rodeo Saturday night and are invited to ride in the Grand Entry. The promoters, Charlie Whitney and B. H. Jones, state that this show will not drag and all events will come off fast. They invite Valleyites to see a wild, rough rodeo that will start on time and last two and a half hours.

A big feature will be matched calf roping between Tommy Cameron of Brownsville and Ed Evans of Raymondville. These boys are well known in the Valley as calf ropers and the match will be a hot one as both can really rope and tie their calves.

Negro Ball Teams Play At San Benito

SAN BENITO — The Line-ups for the baseball game to be staged here Sunday afternoon between the Black Tigers of Alice and the Busy Bees of Harlingen and San Benito are as follows:

Tigers players: Lewis, first; Williams second, Cartwright third, James short, Brazzil, Walker and Liggins in the outfield, Johnson behind the bat, and Pleasant or Harnot in the box, with Hunt and Harris as substitutes.

Bees team: Everhardt, or Sims, first, Bedford or F. Carter second, Pointer third, Lasley or Davis at short, Johnson, McDani.. L. Carter and Rabb in the outfield, Holt or Hodke, catchers and Freeman and Grand, pitchers.

The game will start at 3:30 Sunday afternoon at the Kiwanis Ball Park in San Benito.

TROJANS 8; BOOMERS 1

KILGORE—(AP)—Scoring five runs in the fifth inning, Tyler's Trojans defeated Kilgore 8 to 2 in the series opener here Saturday night.

Tyler	100 050 020	8	11 1
Kilgore	001 000 000	1	7 4

Hyver and Steinbeck, Hoff; Meitzen, Helms, Weston and Cogswell.

Height Of Optimism

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — The height of optimism.

President Gerry Nugent, of the Phillies, disclosed Saturday he had received four reservations for world series tickets in event the Phils win the National League title.

"I thought it was a gag at first," Nugent said. "But we investigated ... found the requests were bona-fide."

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Large Entry List Assured Kiwanis Tourney

150 'Stars' Expected To Seek Prizes

Big Barbecue Listed As Feature

HARLINGEN—At least 150 Kiwanian golfers from clubs in the Valley and Coastal Bend sections are expected to tee off next Thursday over the Harlingen Municipal Course, in the third annual Memorial Day event staged by the Harlingen Kiwanis Club.

Chairman Monty Montgomery announces he is certain a field of this size will be on hand for the event this year, and adds that he has made arrangements to have a heart to heart talk with the weatherman in order to insure continuance of the present perfect golf weather through the all-imporant tournament date.

Glenn Schuepbach and Harry H. Johnson, contact men for the local club's golf tourney committee, have been visiting clubs with regularity during recent weeks, and report enthusiasm is high among all clubs in the area. The pair estimated that every Kiwanis club in Division Four of the Texas-Oklahoma District would have at least one representative in the tournmaent.

Big Barbecue

Assurance that the big barbecue, 19th hole event to be staged for non-golfers and golfers alike at conclusion of play Thursday, will be a howling success is seen in the fact that Bill McElwain is expected to perform in the role of chief barbecuer. Numerous Kiwanians not expecting to play are expected to swell the grand total when first call for chow is sounded.

The tournament is showing steady growth in popularity, local club members pointed out here Saturday. In 1938, the first such tournament drew a field of 85 golfing Kiwanians, and the following year a total of 115 golfers of every rank crowded the Municipal Course. Kiwanians from northern part of the division such as Corpus Christi, Sinton, Beeville, Alice and Robstown attended the 1939 tourney to help swell the total, and still more clubmen from clubs in that area are expected to help establish still another record entry list this year.

The Pharr Kiwanians, winners last year of the team championship, have doubled their number of entries this year, sending 12 instead of six golfers. The McAllen club, determined to give the Pharr defenders a run for their money, have gathered a formidable group of club swingers together for the fray, and expect to send a total group of 18 or 20 golfers here Thursday.

Many Large Groups

Brownsville has sent word it expects to send a group practically matching the McAllen delegation in size, while San Benito has given notice it will try to have as many or more entries in the tournament than Harlingen, the host club. Every club in the Valley is sending a sizeable group of golfers, most of them larger than were sent by the respective clubs last year.

Divot diggers from upper end of the division are coming down in force, Schuepbach and Johnson stated, with the Corpus Christi club especially interested in trying to wrest the team championship from the Pharr club. Last year the Corpus golfers walked away with three of the most beautiful trophies offered.

Clyde Ray of the local club announced Saturday that trophies for this year's tournament have already been secured, and that probably there will be more trophies than last year because of the need for an extra flight or two. The dub golfers, he said, will be shooting for trophies just as attractive as those fought for by the better swingers.

It is expected that first golfers Thursday will tee off at about 11 a. m., the tournament committee announced.

Full Diamond Card Set At Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE — A full program of baseball and softball is in store for fans here Sunday.

The strong Hon ie Oilers of Ingleside will have the afternoon spotlight at Charro Park where they will take on the Edelstein's All Stars at 3:30 o'clock.

At night, a double-header is on tap at "36" diamond, with two leading softball teams from outside points tangling with Brownsville male and feminine all-star outfits.

The McAllen Missionites, star Hidalgo team, will take on an all-star aggregation of Brownsville girls. The Hidalgo team will take the place of the Galvan Pharmacy girls of Corpus Christi, who telephoned Saturday that they would be unable to come to Brownsville Sunday.

The Brownsville boys' team will play the league-leading Kirkley Drug company men's softball team which is leading the Corpus Christi league.

Line-up of the Brownsville masculine soft-ballers will include Hewlitt, ss; Lopez, s; M. Kostick, 1b; Jacobs, cf; Ben Armendariz, sc; Tony Armendari., p; J. Strong, lf; W. King, rf; Guy Ennis, 2b.

The afternoon baseball game at Charro Park is expected to draw a big crowd as fans will see one of the best semi-pro nines of the state in action. The Oilers have been whipping everything in sight around San Antonio territory, and will be among the top teams when the season is over, if past performance is any indication.

Timo Cantu and Tito Torres have been putting the Edelstein's through their paces all w in preparation for the set-to with the powerful Oilers.

A Bit Of Valley Wildlife Activity

Rio Grande Valley waters and brush yielded the usual quota of fish and game the past week. At the upper left is a catch of king mackerel caught in the gulf, and in the lower left picture is shown a 120 pound alligator gar caught in the Arroyo Colorado. Tim Casanova and Teno Villaneuva are shown at the right holding a big "cat" shot a mile north of Combes.

Major League Box Scores

REDS 7-1; CARDS 2-5

CINCINNATI—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals Saturday won their first 1940 game from the Cincinnati Reds, taking the night cap of a doubleheader, 5 to 1, at Gene Thompson's expense. Undefeated Bucky Walters held the Cards to four hits to give the Reds the opener, 7 to 2, and his seventh straight victory.

(First Game)

St. Louis	AB	R	H	Cincinnati	AB	R	H
Lake 3b	3	0	0	Werber 3b	3	1	1
J. Martin x	1	0	0	Frey 2b	2	0	0
Shoun p	0	0	0	Goodman rf	3	1	0
S. Martin 3b	4	0	0	M'C'mick 1b	4	2	2
Slaughter rf	3	0	0	Lombardi c	3	1	1
Medwick lf	4	0	0	Rizzo lf	4	0	2
Mize 1b	4	0	0	Craft cf	3	1	1
Padgett c	3	0	0	Myers ss	3	0	0
White xx	0	0	0	Walters p	4	1	1
Owen c	1	0	0				
T. Moore cf	4	1	1				
Orengo ss	3	1	3				
Warneke p	0	0	0				
Bowman p	0	0	0				
Hopp xxx	0	0	0				
J. Russell p	0	0	0				
Gutteridge 3b	1	0	0				
Totals	31	2	4	Totals	30	7	8

x—Batted for Lake in 7th.
xx—Ran for Padgett in 7th.
xxx—Batted for Bowman in 5th.

St. Louis	000	020	000—2
Cincinnati	010	200	31x—7

Errors: Myers, Walters. Runs batted in: Lake, Orengo, McCormick, Lombardi, Rizzo, Myers, Walters. Two base hits: Orengo 2, Werber, Craft. Home run: McCormick. Sacrifices: Warneke, Craft. Myers. Left on bases: St. Louis 5; Cincinnati 5. Base on balls: Warneke 2, Shoun 2, Walters 2. Struck out: by Warneke 2, Walters 4. Hits: off Warneke 4 in 3 (none out 4th); Bowman none in 1; Russell none in 2; Shoun 4 in 2. Wild pitch: Shoun. Losing pitcher: Warneke. Umpires: Campbell, Ballanfant and Pinelli. Time: 1:55.

(Second Game)

St. Louis	AB	R	H	Cincinnati	AB	R	H
Lake 2b	3	1	3	Werber 3b	4	0	0
S. Martin 3b	4	1	1	Frey 2b	4	0	1
Slaughter rf	5	1	1	Goodman rf	4	1	2
Medwick lf	4	1	1	M'C'mick 1b	3	0	0
Mize 1b	3	0	0	H'shb'ger c	4	0	2
T. Moore cf	4	0	0	Rizzo lf	3	0	0
Orengo ss	4	0	1	Craft cf	4	0	0
Owen c	4	1	1	Myers ss	4	0	0
McGee p	4	0	1	Thompson p	2	0	1
				Shoffner p	1	0	0
Totals	37	5	9	Totals	33	1	6

St. Louis	300	001	001—5
Cincinnati	100	000	000—1

Errors: McGee, Hershberger. Runs batted in: Lake, Slaughter 3, Orengo, Hershberger. Two base hits: Lake, S. Martin, Medwick, Owen, McGee. Home run: Slaughter. Stolen bases: Lake, Goodman. Left on bases: St. Louis 7; Cincinnati 7. Base on balls: McGee 2, Thompson 2, Struck out: by McGee 3; Thompson 2, Shoffner 1. Hits: off Thompson 7 in 6 1-3; Shoffner 2 in 2 2-3. Losing pitcher: Thompson. Umpires: Ballanfant, Pinelli and Campbell. Time: 1:58.

PIRATES 12; CUBS 7

PITTSBURGH—(AP)— Sparked by Arky Vaughan's three-run homer in the first inning, the Pittsburgh Pirates Saturday ended a five-game losing streak by pounding four Chicago Cub pitchers to win 12 to 7. Hank Leiber homered for the Cubs with two on in the seventh for his fifth circuit blow of the season.

Chicago	AB	R	H	Pittsburgh	AB	R	H
Rogell 3b-2b	4	0	0	Gustine 2b	5	1	2
Herman 2b	3	0	1	Handley 3b	5	2	2
Hack 3b	2	2	2	Vaughan ss	4	4	2
Gleeson cf	4	2	2	Elliott rf-cf	5	2	3
Leiber rf	3	2	1	V Robaya lf	5	1	2
Nicholson lf	4	1	2	Fletcher 1b	3	2	1
Russell 1b	5	0	2	DiMaglo cf	2	0	1
Todd c	3	0	0	P Waner rf	2	0	0
Collins c	2	0	1	Davis c	3	0	0
Mattick ss	4	0	1	Bowman p	3	0	1
Galan xx	1	0	0				
French p	0	0	0				
Raffensbrgr p	1	0	0				
Dallesandro x	1	0	0				
Page p	0	0	0				
Mooty p	2	0	0				
Totals	38	7	12	Totals	37	12	14

x—Batted for Raffensberger in 8th.
xx—Batted for Mattick in 9th.

Chicago	000	100	303— 7
Pittsburgh	300	128	10x—12

Errors: Vaughan, Mooty, Gustine, Nicholson. Runs batted in: Vaughan 3, Russell 2, Gustine, P. Waner, Bowman 2, Van Robaya 2, Fletcher, Leiber 3, Elliott, Nicholson, Collins. Two base hits: Herman, Mattick, Handley, Gleeson. Three base hits: Vaughan. Home runs: Vaughan, Leiber. Sacrifices: Davis. Double plays: Herman, Mattick and Russell. Left on bases: Chicago 10; Pittsburgh 8. Base on balls: Bowman 5; Raffensberger 2, Page 3, Mooty 1. Struck out: Bowman 3, Raffensberger 6. Hits: off French 4 in 1-3; Raffensberger 3 in 3 2-3. Page 6 in 1, Mooty in 3. Balk: Raffensberg r. Losing pitcher: French. Umpires: Goetz, Reardon and Klem. Time: 2:31.

PACED DODGERS

Cookie Lavagetto was pacemaking slugger for the Brooklyn Dodgers during their sensational April winning streak. He played in every game, batted 11 runs across the plate and sported a .353 batting average.

TIGERS 10; WHITE SOX 4

CHICAGO—(AP)—The Detroit Tigers whipped the Chicago White Sox, 10 to 4, with 17 hits Saturday in a contest that was called on account of rain after one out in the first of the ninth inning.

Detroit	AB	R	H	Chicago	AB	R	H
Bartell ss	4	1	1	Kennedy 3b	5	0	1
McCosky cf	4	1	0	Kuhel 1b	4	1	3
Gehringer 3b	5	2	3	Kreevich cf	3	1	1
Greenberg lf	4	1	2	Wright rf	4	0	2
York 1b	5	1	1	Appling ss	3	0	0
Campbell rf	5	2	3	Rosenthal lf	3	0	0
Higgins 3b	5	1	2	McNair 2b	4	0	1
Tebbetts c	4	0	3	Tresh c	3	1	1
Trout p	2	0	0	Knott p	0	1	0
Benton p	1	0	0	Solters z	1	0	0
				Appleton p	1	0	1
				Brown p	1	0	0
Totals	40	10	17	Totals	32	4	10

z—Batted for Knott in 4th.

Detroit	010	220	41—10
Chicago	001	021	00— 4

Errors: Wright, McNair, Kuhel, Appling. Runs batted in: Tebbetts 2, York 2, Gehringer, Campbell 2, Higgins, Kreevich 3, Kuhel. Two base hits: McNair, Wright, Campbell. Home runs: York, Kreevich. Stolen bases: Gehringer, Tebbetts. Double play: Kennedy, McNair and Kuhel. Left on bases: Detroit 9; Chicago 9. Base on balls: Trout 4, Benton 1, Appleton 2, Brown 1. Struck out by Trout 3, Benton 2, Knott 1, Brown 1. Hits: off Trout 10 in 5 2-3; eBnton none in 2 1-3; Knott 7 in 4; Appleton 5 in 2 1-3; Brown 5 in 1 2-3; Wild pitch: Appleton. Winning pitcher: Trout. Losing pitcher: Knott. Umpires: Moriarty, Hubbard and Rue. Time: 2:12.

SENS 4; A'S 2

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Dutch Leonard, yielding but seven hits, pitched the Washington Senators to a 4 to 2 victory Saturday over the Philadelphia Athletics. It was the fourth straight victory for the Washington knuckle-baller.

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	Washing.	AB	R	H
Miles lf	4	0	1	Case rf	4	1	1
Moses rf	4	1	2	Lewis 3b	4	1	1
McCoy 2b	4	0	1	Welaj cf	4	1	1
Johnson cf	4	1	1	Walker lf	4	1	2
Siebert 1b	4	0	1	Bonura 1b	4	0	2
Hayes c	4	0	0	Travis ss	3	0	0
Gubeling 3b	3	0	0	Bl'dwrth 2b	3	0	1
Lillard ss	3	0	0	Ferrell c	3	0	0
Dean p	3	0	1	Leonard p	3	0	1
Totals	33	2	7	Totals	32	4	9

Philadelphia	000	200	000—2
Washington	200	101	00x—4

Errors: McCoy, Johnson. Runs batted in: Welaj, Bonura 2, Moses, Siebert, Travis. Two base hits: Welaj. Three base hits: Johnson. Home run: Moses. Double plays: Lewis and Bonura; McCoy, Lillard and Siebert. Left on bases: Philadelphia 4; Washington 4. Struck out: by Dean 3; Leonard 3. Wild pitch: Leonard. Passed ball: Ferrell.

Garner Is Inventor Of 'Texas Leaguer'

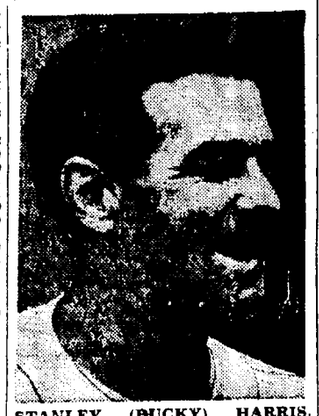
WASHINGTON —(AP)— Take it from Vice-President Jack Garner, a prominent Texan was the inventor of the Texas leaguer in baseball — and his name was Jack Garner.

Garner, talking with Joe McCarthy, manager of the New York Yankees, explained in a recent meeting of the two famous figures.

"When I was a young fellow I loved to play ball but I wasn't much of a hitter at first. I couldn't drive the ball very far and I wasn't fast enough to beat out infield hits. So I figured the best thing to do was just tap the ball over the infield.

"I did that and it was very successful. All the young fellows around our town started doing it and finally it spread over the state and somebody started calling that kind of hit a Texas leaguer."

Sport Headliners



STANLEY (BUCKY) HARRIS, Washington pilot, was the first major league baseball manager to get the old heave-ho this season. He raised such a ruckus over a hit by Joe Gordon of the Yanks April 19 that Umpire Rue thumbed him out of the park. Bucky yelled foul but Rue yelled louder. 'Twas a homer, said he.

GERALD COTE wears the victor's laurel wreath and smiles happily after winning the 26-mile Boston marathon in record time. Cote says he is through with marathons because he's a Canadian and will soon be in the Royal Air service.

NO HOME TOWN FANS?

DENVER—(AP)—Last year's Colorado high school basketball tournament, held annually in Denver, showed a substantial loss at the boxoffice, although a Denver team won the championship. This year the tourney netted $378 — and both Denver entrants were eliminated in the first round.

COTTON BELT STARS

When it's Claude Passeau vs. Whit Wyatt in a Cubs-Dodgers duel, the cotton belt splits wide open in its rooting. Both acres are big planters down home, the Cub curver at Lucedale, Miss., and the Brooklyn buzzer at Buchanan, Ga.

Some men's honesty is due to the inexpensiveness thereof.

THE SCOREBOARD

TEXAS LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Houston	33	11	.750
San Antonio	23	19	.548
Beaumont	22	22	.500
Tulsa	20	22	.476
Oklahoma City	20	23	.465
Dallas	18	24	.429
Shreveport	18	24	.429
Fort Worth	17	26	.395

Results Saturday
Beaumont 8; Tulsa 0
Shreveport 5; Dallas 2
Oklahoma City 11; Houston 10
Fort Worth 5; San Antonio 3
Games Today
Shreveport at Dallas (2) (D)
San Antonio at Fort Worth (2) (D)
Houston at Oklahoma City (2) (D)
Beaumont at Tulsa (2) Twilight.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Boston	19	8	.704
Cleveland	19	10	.655
Detroit	16	14	.533
Washington	15	16	.484
St. Louis	12	16	.429
Chicago	13	18	.419
Philadelphia	12	17	.414
New York	11	17	.393

Results Saturday
Detroit 10; Chicago 4
Washington 4; Philadelphia 2
New York at Boston, rain
Cleveland at St. Louis, rain and cold.
Games Today
Cleveland at St. Louis (2)
Philadelphia at Washington
Detroit at Chicago
New York at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	18	8	.692
Cincinnati	19	9	.679
New York	15	12	.556
Chicago	17	14	.548
Philadelphia	11	13	.458
St. Louis	11	18	.379
Boston	8	16	.333
Pittsburgh	7	18	.280

Results Saturday
Cincinnati 7-1; St. Louis 2-5
Pittsburgh 12; Chicago 7
Brooklyn at Philadelphia, wet grounds
Boston at New York, rain.
Games Today
Brooklyn at Philadelphia
Boston at New York
Chicago at Pittsburgh
St. Louis at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Kansas City	24	7	.774
Minneapolis	19	10	.655
Indianapolis	16	14	.533
Milwaukee	13	15	.464
Louisville	14	17	.452
Columbus	12	15	.444
Toledo	9	18	.333
St. Paul	10	21	.323

Results Saturday
Columbus 5; Indianapolis 2
Louisville 6; Toledo 4
Minneapolis 6; Milwaukee 0
Kansas City 5; St. Paul 1.
Games Today
Indianapolis at Columbus
Milwaukee at Minneapolis
Kansas City at St. Paul
Louisville at Toledo.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Nashville	23	10	.697
Memphis	20	13	.606
Atlanta	22	17	.564
Knoxville	16	18	.457
Little Rock	15	20	.429
Birmingham	15	20	.429
Chattanooga	14	20	.412
New Orleans	15	24	.385

Results Saturday
Knoxville 7; Little Rock 5
New Orleans 8; Atlanta 7.
Nashville 3; Memphis 1
Chattanooga-Birmingham, wet grounds.
Games Today
Chattanooga at Birmingham
Knoxville at Little Rock
Nashville at Memphis.
Atlanta at New Orleans.

EVANGELINE LEAGUE
New Iberia 4; Opelousas 2
Alexandria 3; Lake Charles 0
Rayne 1; Fort Arthur 0
Houma 9; Lafayette 10.

Probable Pitchers

NEW YORK—(AP)—Probable pitchers in the major leagues Sunday: (won-lost records in parenthesis):

American League

New York at Boston—Pearson (3-2) vs Dickman (4-2).

Philadelphia at Washington—Caster (1-5) vs Hudlin (2-1).

Detroit at Chicago—Rowe (2-0) vs Lyons (2-2).

Cleveland at St. Louis (2)—Allen (2-2) and Harder (1-1) vs Bildilli (1-2) and Mills (0-1).

National League

Chicago at Pittsburgh—Lee (4-3) vs Brown (3-2).

Boston at New York—Sullivan (1-4) vs Lohrman (2-0).

Brooklyn at Philadelphia—Hamlin (2-2) vs Higbe (3-3).

St. Louis at Cincinnati—Cooper (0-1) vs Derringer (3-4).

TEXAS LEAGUE

EXPORTERS 8; OILERS 0

BEAUMONT —(AP)— Clay Smith pitched a four-hit shutout and the Exporters made a clean sweep of the Tulsa series, winning the final game Saturday afternoon, 8 to 0.

Tulsa	AB	R	H	Beaumont	AB	R	H
Lowery 3b	3	0	0	Korte 2b	5	0	2
Johnson 2b	4	0	2	Perry ss	4	0	0
Waitkus 1b	4	0	1	Harris rf	5	1	1
Schino cf	3	0	0	Franklin 3b	5	2	2
Allen rf	4	0	0	Secory lf	3	2	1
Caldwell lf	3	0	1	Patrick rf	5	1	2
Merullo ss	3	0	0	Parsons c	4	2	3
Steiner c	4	0	0	Sturdivt 1b	4	0	2
Tubb p	2	0	0	Smith p	3	0	0
x Donaldson	1	0	0				
Barkelew p	0	0	0				
Totals	31	0	4	Totals	36	8	13

x—Batted for Tubb in 8th.

Tulsa	000	000	000—0
Beaumont	001	101	32x—8

Runs batted in, Korte 2, Secory 2, Patrick, Sturdivant 2, Smith; Earned runs: eBaumont 7. Bases on balls: off Tubb 4, Smith 3; Struck out: by Tubb 6, Smith 4. Pitchers' statistics; 11 hits 6 runs off Tubb in 7 innings, 2 hits 2 runs off Barkelew in 1 inning. Losing pitcher: Tubb. Left on bases: Tulsa 8, Beaumont 10. Home run: Secory. Two base hit: Johnson. Stolen base: Parsons. Hit by pitched ball: by Smith (Lowery). Passed ball: Parsons. Double play: Korte to Perry to Sturdivant. Errors: Lowery 2, Merullo, Korte 2. Umpires: Fowler and Boggess. Time of game: 1:41.

INDIANS 11; BUFFS 10

HOUSTON—(AP)— Houston's five-game winning streak ended Saturday night as Oklahoma City salvaged the final game of the series, 11 to 10, in a wild exhibition that saw a total of 34 base knocks ring to all corners of Buff Stadium.

The Indians at one time enjoyed an 11 to 4 lead over the Herd but before Umpire Tongate called out the last man on strikes, the Buffs were within one run of the lead, had the typing rally on second and the winning marker on first.

Okla. City	AB	R	H	Houston	AB	R	H
Short cf	4	3	2	Mrtaugh 3b	4	3	1
Kolloway 2b	5	3	3	Antonelli 2b	6	1	3
Yount rf	4	1	3	Winsett lf	5	1	2
Corbett 1b	6	1	3	Cullop rf	4	2	2
Jergensen lf	5	1	1	Wyrostek cf	4	1	2
McDougal c	5	0	2	Marshall c	3	0	0
Cieslak 3b	5	1	1	Narron c	2	1	2
Howell ss	5	0	1	Angle 1b	5	1	2
Prince p	3	1	1	Cross ss	5	0	2
McLendon p	1	0	0	Wilks p	0	0	0
				Kempe p	4	0	0
				Warchol p	0	0	0
				Vestilich x	1	0	0
				Pollet xx	0	0	0
Totals	43	11	17	Totals	44	10	16

x—Hit for Kemple in 8th.
xx—Ran for Narron in 9th.

Oklahoma City	130	022	030—11
Houston	010	102	042—10

Errors: Howell, Winsett 2, Angle, Cross. Runs batted in: Kolloway, Yount 3, Cross 2, Winsett 2, Jergensen 3, Corbett 2, Wyrostek 2, Narron 3, Angle. Two base hits: Cieslak, Kolloway, Cross. Three base hits: Winsett. Home run: Jergensen. Sacrifices: Yount, Kolloway. Bases on balls: Wilks 1, Kempe 1, Prince 6, Warchol 1, McLendon 2. Hit by pitcher: Kempe (McLendon). Struck out: Prince 4, Warchol 2, Kempe 2, McLendon 2. Innings pitched: by Wilks 1 2-3 with 5 hits, 4 runs; Prince 5 1-3 with 9 hits, 4 runs; Kempe 6 1-3 with 12 hits, 7 runs, Winning pitcher: Prince. Losing pitcher: Wilks. Wild pitch: Prince. Left on bases: Oklahoma City 11, Houston 15. Umpires: Tongate and Palmer. Time: 2:26.

All-Time Big-Time Big-Man Ball Team

CLEVELAND—(AP)—How about an all-time, all big-man baseball team?

Down through the years baseball has had many huge fellows and one sports writer dug into his memory and came up with this squad:

1st base: Long George Kelley.

2nd base: Larry Lajoie; Rogers Hornsby and Ray Mack.

3rd base: Bill Bradley; Harry Steinfeldt.

Shortstop: Honus Wagner, George McBride.

Outfielders: Smead Jolley, Ike Boone, Baby Doll Jacobson, Jim Thorpe, Bob Meusel and Dan Brouthers.

Pitchers: Garland Buckeye, Walter Brown, Jeff Tesreau, Fred Toney, Phil Douglas, Cy Falkenberg, John Gee and Mike Naymick.

Owner—Lou Comiskey.

Manager: Wilbur Robinson.

John Gee, the rookie Pittsburgh pitcher, sands 6 feet 9 while Naymick of Cleveland is 6 foot 8. Both are youngsters and may grow taller.

CATS 5; MISSIONS 5

SAN ANTONIO —(AP)— The San Antonio Missions and Fort Worth Cats were all square at the end of nine innings here Saturday night at Tech Field, 5 to 5, and had to call it quits in order to allow both clubs to catch a train to Fort Worth, where they will play a Sunday afternoon double-header.

Fort Worth	AB	R	H	S. Antonio	AB	R	H
Chatham ss	2	1	0	Hausman 2b	4	0	1
McDowell 2b	5	1	2	Stein 3b	4	0	1
Cazen lf	5	1	2	Kraus cf	5	1	0
Stoneham rf	5	0	2	Bradsher rf	5	3	3
Oana cf	5	1	2	Harshany c	3	1	3
Abreu 3b	3	1	2	Stephens ss	3	0	0
Stebbins 1b	4	0	0	Bell lf	3	0	0
Linton c	4	0	1	Stevens 1b	4	0	0
Horton p	2	0	0	Gibson p	2	0	0
Moseley p	1	0	0	Burck p	2	0	0
x Jeffries	1	0	0	Muncrief p	0	0	0
Starr p	0	0	0				
Totals	37	5	11	Totals	35	5	8

x—Batted for Horton in 6th.

Fort Worth	000	004	100—5
San Antonio	022	000	100—5

Errors: Cazen, Oana, Linton, Stebbins. Runs batted in: Harshany, Cazen 2, Linton 2, Oana, Stephens 2, Stevens. Two base hits: Abreu 2, Harshany, Cazen. Sacrifice hit: Stephens. Stolen bases: Hausmann, Harshany, Steevns. Hits and runs: off Gibson 7 and 4 in 5 2-3 innings; off Burck 4 and 1 in 3 innings; off Horton 6 and 4 in 5 innings; off Moseley 2 and 1 in 1 1-3 innings; off Starr 9 and 9 in 2 2-3 innings; off Muncrief 9 and 9 in 1-3 inning. Base on balls: off Gibson 2, off Horton 3, off Moseley 1, off Burck 3. Struck out: by Gibson 5, by Horton 2, by Burck 2, by Starr 2. Left on bases: Fort Worth 11, San Antonio 8. Umpires: Passarella and Steengrafe. Time: 2:14.

SPORTS 5; REBELS 2

SHREVEPORT—(AP)—Shreveport's Sports made a clean sweep of their three-game series with the Dallas Rebels Saturday night when the locals defeated the Texans, 5 to 2. Jack Hallett went the route for the Sports.

Dallas	AB	R	H	Shreveport	AB	R	H
Rigby 2b	3	1	0	Trent cf	5	1	2
Mort 1b	4	0	2	Meyer 2b	4	1	1
Eckhardt rf	4	1	1	York ss	4	1	1
Easterling lf	3	0	0	Wash'gtn rf	3	1	2
Lee cf	4	0	0	Curtright lf	2	1	1
Clarke 3b	4	0	0	Ermisch 3b	3	0	1
Adair ss	3	0	0	Gr'nberg 3b	0	0	0
Weiland c	4	0	1	Lopat 1b	4	0	0
Gliatto p	3	0	0	Andrews c	4	0	0
x Levey	1	0	0	Hallett p	3	0	0
				z Peel	1	0	1
Totals	33	2	4	Totals	33	5	9

x—Batted for Gliatto in 9th.
z—Batted for Ermisch in 9th.

Dallas	200	000	000—2
Shreveport	100	010	30X—5

Errors: Easterling, Adair, Curtright and Ermisch. Runs batted in: Eckhardt 4, Curtright, Peel 2. Two base hit: Mort. Three base hit: Washington. Home run: Eckhardt. Left on bases: Dallas 7, Shreveport 9. Base on balls: off Hallett 3, Gliattto 4. Struck out: by Gliatto 3; by Hallett 7. Hit by pitcher: by Gliatto (Meyer). Wild pitches: Hallett. Umpires: Williamson and Naylor. Time: 1:52.

PALS 9; LINERS 2

PALESTINE—(AP)—Dick Valencia and George Kovach led the Palestine Pals to an easy victory over Texarkana Saturday night, 9 to 2. Leonard Barnes, Pal outfielder, hit a homer in the first. Herb Nordquist held the Liners to four hits while the locals rapped Burlon Betterton for 14.

Texarkana	000	100	100—2	4	1
Palestine	330	011	01x—9	14	0

Betterton and Toeller; Nordquist and Martin.

Many of the things we ask for are not worth having.

33 Rookies Remain On Club Lists

American League Has Good Percentage

Thirty-three rookies survived the annual reduction to the player limit of 25 on May 15 in the American League, 33 out of 98. Very good percentage and probably more than half of the 33 will survive the 1940 campaign.

The 33, by the way, include Infielders Boudreau and Mack, who received trials with Cleveland in 1939, Shortstop Alan Strange of the St. Louis Browns, who was up before. Second Baseman McCoy who finished the season of '39 with Detroit and Pitchers Niggeling of St. Louis, Al Smith of Cleveland and Babich and Heusser of the Athletics and Infielder Peters of Cleveland who had had previous major league tests.

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Another club to have a quartet of youngsters is Chicago with Pitchers Weiland and Grove, Catcher Turner and Infielder Kennedy. Detroit has retained four in Pitchers Newhouser, Gorsica and Seats and Infielder Metha whom it took from Chicago via the waiver route.

Only three out of 15 Washington Nats survived the cut. They are Pitcher Hudson, Infielder Fofahl, no longer a regular, and Catcher Evans. Only one out of 10 Yankee rookies has been retained—Pitcher Marvin Breuer and he certainly has shown he is worth keeping.

Damon Phillips Joins St. Paul

ST. PAUL —(AP)— The St. Paul baseball club Saturday announced infielder Damon Phillips had been obtained from the Cincinnati Reds. Phillips played with Henderson in the East Texas League last season and hit .272.

Phillips was a member of Jake Atz' championship Harlingen Hubs in 1938.

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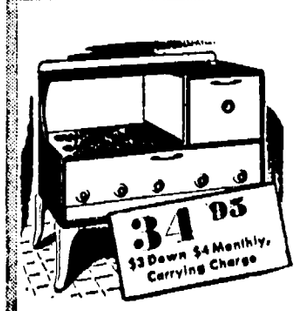

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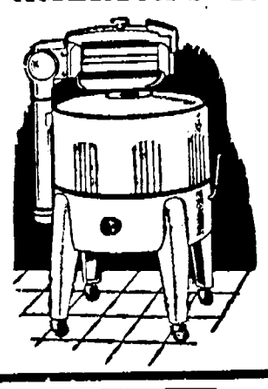

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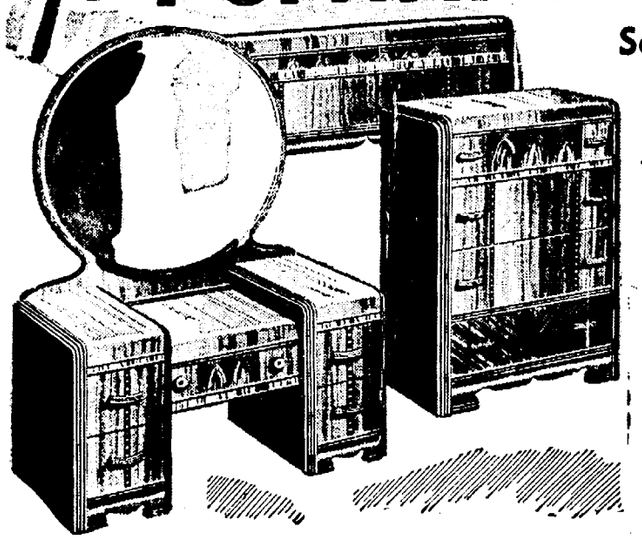

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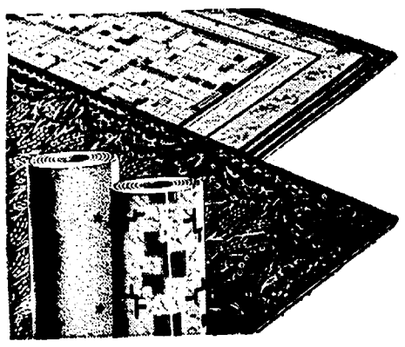

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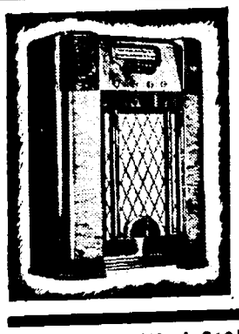

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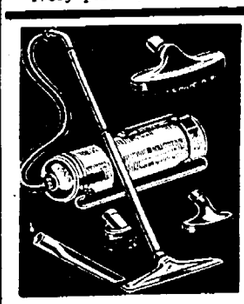

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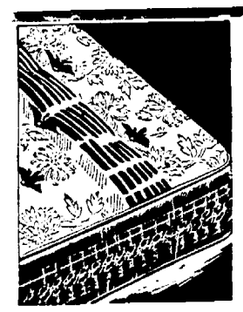

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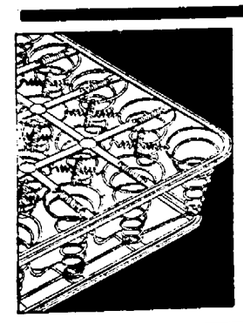

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Bormann-Horger Rites Impressive

McALLEN — Marked by smart simplicity the wedding of Miss Maryilyn Horger, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Horger, and N. L. Bormann, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Bormann, was performed at 9 a. m. Friday at the First Christian church before about 100 of the young couple's intimate friends and relatives as guests.

In a picturesque setting Rev H. J. Howard, pastor of the church, read the time-honored rites while Mrs. Dale Geisler, aunt of the groom, played soft music at the organ.

The marriage ceremony took place in front of an arched trellis, covered with fern and flecked with gardenia blossoms. Flanking the altar were twin potted palms with large floor baskets of white gladiolas between. To further complement the scene and adding an effective touch of color were well arranged bouquets of pink roses.

After a program of pre-nuptial music Mrs. H. J. Howard sang "Because."

Deviating from the usual entry into a church, the attendants walked down the side aisles to the altar. Entering with Miss Gloria Merts was Jens Mortenson of Weslaco and with Miss Elsie Steinman was Edward Grennenwein of San Juan.

Identically gowned, the attendants to the bride were most attractive in their powder blue frocks with large straw matching picture hats. Their flowers were nosegays of pink carnations.

The little bride entered with her father. Her gown and its rose color were in contrast with the costumes of her attendants. It was simply made and with it she wore a veiled hat of pale orchid and carried an arm bouquet of white roses.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Horger was chic in a sand toned street frock with a corsage of sweetheart roses. Mrs. Bormann's gown was navy blue sheer topped with a corsage of white roses.

After the church ceremony there was a reception at the Horger home for the young couple.

Here the same smart simplicity prevailed. With a clever motif featuring the refreshment table where the bride cut the traditional first slice of the three-tiered cake. Mrs. T. J. Powell, Mrs. J. C. Ziebell and Mrs. Harry Merts presided.

The table, laid with a crocheted cloth, was centered with a pale pink horehair hat filled with quantities of feverfew and talisman roses. A large pale blue satin bow topped the hat and its streamers spread to one end of the table. Flanking the hat were two antique blue glass hens filled with mints.

In the midst of quantities of rice the young couple left for a trip to Galveston and Houston to return Sunday night. On their return they will make their home in Leslie addition where their house is already equipped and ready. A number of the reception guests visited the newlyweds' home Friday morning.

Going away Mrs. Bormann wore a navy blue pinchecked full skirted frock with a short fitted navy jacket whose epaulettes were of the skirt's material. Her accessories were white.

Out-of-Valley guests at the wedding were the bride's paternal grandmother, Mrs. S. D. Horger, and her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Young, all of Austin, and H. B. Gilette and E. F. Collins of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bormann have lived in McAllen most of their lives and their families are prominently known.

Mrs. Terry Bentley Sanders of Edinburg announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Ruth, to Cecil Roberts of Pharr, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Roberts of Pharr. The wedding is to take place June 9 at Trinity Episcopal Church of Pharr. The couple will make their home in Pharr, where the groom is in the produce business with his father. The bride-to-be's brother, Terry B., who is a student of Harvard University, will arrive from Cambridge, Mass., to give his sister in marriage.

Announcement of the engagement and coming marriage of Miss Catherine Stotler of Mercedes to Darold Jackson of Harlingen was made Wednesday at a large tea given by Mrs. H. T. Stotler, mother of the bride-to-be Miss Stotler is the daughter of a pioneer Valley family and Mr. Jackson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Jackson of Harlingen.

Miss Elaine Dorfman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Dorfman of Brownsville, is one of the pretty and popular members of the graduating class of the Brownsville high school this year. She is shown above in the dainty frock she wore at the tea given in her honor by her aunt, Mrs. H. Peter Oshman, recently. (Staff Photo)

Miss Blanche Gilbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Gilbert, was much feted among the San Benito high school graduates who shared in an exciting round of pre-commencement parties. She is a native of San Benito and the youngest daughter of one of the prominent pioneer families.

Miss Joyce Littlepage has become a favorite with the younger set since coming with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hill, a year ago to make their home at Bayview. She received her diploma at the recent commencement for seniors graduating from San Benito high school.

June Bride-To-Be Guest Of Honor For Small Luncheon

HARLINGEN — Miss Rachel Morris, whose marriage to George Pletcher Jr., is to be an event of June 2, was honored by a luncheon especially attractive in appointive details when Miss Marion Williams was hostess at one o'clock Saturday at her home, 902 E. Taylor. Miss Morris is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Morris.

Blue, yellow, and green were effectively combined in decoration of the luncheon board and other details. Flowers were bachelor buttons and calendulas.

Lovely dolls, made by the hostess, marked the places and represented bridesmaids dressed in quaint frocks of green with yellow hats. A dainty bride, with traditional veil and wedding bouquet, was at the honoree's place.

As the final course lovely shower gifts for the bride-to-be were brought to the table on a tray.

The personnel, which included a few close friends of the bride, consisted of Mrs. Charles Holbrook, Mrs. Bud Pelzer, Miss Ivy Boone, Miss Jean Henderson, Miss Edith Rollins, and the guest of honor.

Francis West Is Co-Omega Hostess

McALLEN—The Co-Omega Club met Thursday night for a social session at the home of Miss Francis West.

Refreshments were served to Jeanette Rucker, Alva Lockhart, Helen Parrish, Francis Meek, Betty Bob Kyler, Mary Ann Robinson and the hostess.

Tandys Go

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Dave Tandy and Mrs. Tandy's mother, Mrs. C. B. McClain, all of Dallas, have returned to their homes after spending 10 days here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Tandy.

Setting For Hospitality Is Delightful

WESLACO — Particular interest was afforded by a delightful courtesy of Thursday when Mrs. J. Bryan Ivy and Mrs. J. S. McManus entertained with a luncheon bridge at the Casa de Palmas in McAllen. Lovely pastel shades were reflected in arrangements of roses, snapdragons, and sweetheart roses.

Attractive crystal bubble bowls with bouquets of floating sweetheart roses centered the card tables and the luncheon board beautifully emphasized the chosen theme in floral appointments.

Mrs. Ivy was becomingly dressed in white and wore an elaborate corsage of gladiolas. Mrs. McManus was smart in black sheer and her corsage was also of gladiolas.

After the luncheon courses, ten tables were placed in a delightful setting for the games. Prize awards were exquisite crystal and wrappings repeated the chosen pastel tints.

HOME FROM VISIT

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. Clarence Pederson and son, Paulie, have returned from a week's vacation with Mrs. Pederson's sisters in Coleman. One sister, Mrs. Jean Micheal, is now a guest in the Pederson home.

Informal Note Prevails When Two Are Hostesses In City Of Palms Friday

McALLEN — Easy informality marked the coffee Friday morning for which Mrs. Clyde Hollon and Mrs. J. K. Boettger were hostesses at the latter's home.

About 100 guests called during the coffee hours and having been served walked in the garden and played ping pong outdoors at the rear of the house.

Keeping the simple informal note, members of the houseparty wore morning sports frocks which were gay and colorful. Each sported a boutonniere of white asters tied with a bright ribbon.

Assisting the hostesses were Mrs. L. L. O'Neall and Mrs. J. G. Roberts who poured; Mrs. M. C. Brown, Mrs. Frank Barthel, Mrs. F. O. Kyte and Mrs. O. Terry

A huge silver bowl of daisies was the only decoration on the coffee table, further made graceful with silver coffee appointments.

The same flowers were mingled with bouquets of vari-toned gladioli to decorate the comfortable living room of the Boettger home.

Edcouch 4-H Club Plans For Meeting

EDCOUCH—Plans for the 4-H Club Encampment at Rio Hondo June 14-15 and an all day meeting May 30, were the main features of the meeting of the Edcouch-Elsa 4-H Club Thursday morning at the home of the sponsor, Mrs. Hugo Dyal.

Geraldine Harbison was enrolled as a new member. Mrs. Dyal and Aileen Wade served refreshments to those present.

GUESTS OF PARENTS

LOS FRESNOS—Mr. and Mrs. Dale Barr and son, Dale, Jr., of Laredo, were weekend visitors of his parents Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Barr.

Santone Guest

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Jess Vernon of San Antonio is visiting with Mrs. R. M. Hannah and Mrs. Dennis Olson and other friends during the week-end.

TO BEGIN VACATION

LYFORD—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cox and family are leaving soon for an extended vacation to Hot Springs, Ark., and other points of interest.

LEAVE FOR SUMMER

ALAMO — Mrs. Jennie Younkin and her granddaughter, Florence Jo Hahn left Friday for Kansas where they will spend the summer.

Work Meet Slated

MISSION—Favors for the luncheon which members of the Valley Salon of Eight and Forty will give at the state convention in Laredo this summer will be prepared Monday afternoon when salon members meet at the home of Mrs. S. P. Rosette. The meeting is called for three o'clock.

SMITHS ON VACATION

LA FERIA—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith and children, Marjorie, Gene, and Ruth left Friday for a month's visit on Mr. Smith's father's ranch near Stamford.

GUEST OF PARENTS

MISSION — Connell McHenry, student in A. and I., spent the week end in Mission with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McHenry.

Informal Coffee Held For Pair

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Jack Wiech entertained informally at a morning coffee and lawn party as a farewell gesture to Mrs. Collis P. Perkins, and Mrs. C. L. Robison. Mrs. Perkins and her two daughters departed Friday for Pennsylvania to join Mr. Perkins and make their home. Mrs. Robison and her young son leave Tuesday for Clarksville where they will visit before going on to Miami, Florida, where Mr. Robison has been transferred.

Both Mrs. Perkins and Mrs. Robison are members of the Junior Self-Culture club, and other members of the club made up the guest list.

The club flower, the pink and white oleander, was used on the coffee table.

Others besides the club members attending included Mrs. E. T. Yates, sponsor, and Mrs. H. E. Watkins, honory member.

Recent Rites Announced

ALAMO — Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson announce the marriage of their daughter, Elaine, to John Clayton Foster, son of Mrs. J. W. Foster of San Juan. The single ring ceremony was performed May 19 at the Faith American Lutheran Church in Weslaco with Rev. George Reck officiating.

The bride wore a street dress of blue crepe with white accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of roses.

Miss Faye Wallace, Weslaco, and Vernon Scott, San Juan, attended the couple and Mrs. Reck played the traditional wedding music on the piano.

Setting for the marriage rites was of daisies, gladiolas, and roses.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in Alamo.

The couple is residing in their new home on South Morningside Road.

Observes Birthday

ALAMO — Spenser Knapp celebrated his fourth birthday on Monday with the following playmates invited to share birthday cake and play games: Wayne and E. H. Bresset, Charles and Marion Davis, Sydney and James Swallo, Bobby Caddel, George Day, Johnny Lockett, and Neels Jensen.

Each guest received a rubber ball favor.

League To Make Survey In McAllen

Child Aid Project To Be Advanced

McALLEN — A city-wide health survey among McAllen's indigent families will be launched next week by members of the Junior Service League to determine how many potential patients there are here in need of aid at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

The survey will be made by members of the league working in groups of two among 15 alloted districts in the city where officials feel chances of finding children in need of medical aid are highly probable.

The league, sponsors of the clinic, and clinic officials, are particularly interested in discovering cases of untreated diarrhea and tuberculosis among children in time to give them sufficient assistance to insure possible recovery, it was stated.

For the remainder of the league's club year, which started Thursday, the investigators assigned stipulated districts will keep their territories in order to become acquainted with its residents. Case files will be kept at the clinic with a copy at league headquarters. Officials expect in time to gather complete data on health and health conditions among those who are unable to afford medical aid and acquaint them with the fact that free aid can be obtained at the clinic thrice weekly with visits and treatment between clinic days. Districts for the survey were arranged by Mrs. O. Terry, investigation leader.

League members were assigned districts at their meeting Thursday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. As data is gathered it will be turned into the clinic nurse.

The meeting Thursday marked last time the league will meet for regular session for the summer. Members will be subject to call at any time, however, Mrs. J. K. Boettger, president, said.

It was voted at the meeting to change the days the Community House is open from Saturday to Tuesday for the duration of the summer. The new plan will go into effect June 4.

Lunch Held In Edcouch

EDCOUCH—To mark the close of activity for the year for the Edcouch Women's Study Club a luncheon was held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. L. B. Doshier. Co-hostesses were Mesdames Gordon Smith, W. C. Moore, and T. S. Hughes.

Roses, zinnias and snap dragons were used about the home and to decorate the luncheon board.

A song, the words composed by Mrs. A. J. Harrell, outgoing president, was sung to the tune of "Our Valley Home" and dedicated to Mrs. James Barr, the new president. Other new officers, installed by Mrs. C. A. Whittle, are: Mrs. Joe Wilson, vice president; Mrs. I. M. Smith, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Gordon Smith, parliamentarian.

100 Attend Final Meet

HARLINGEN — Teachers and members of the school board were special guests when the High School Parent-Teacher met for a luncheon this week in connection with their final meeting of the year. Mrs. Marie Grapperhaus, president, welcomed the guests.

A specially honor guest was Mrs. J. M. Longfellow, pioneer Harlingen resident and gradmother of one of the girl graduates, Dorothy Durham. A hundred were present for the luncheon and program.

Pleasing violin numbers were played by Robin Burdette who was accompanied by his father, G. I. Burdette.

Mrs. Grapperhaus presented Mrs. W. C. Magee, new president, who introduced officers that will serve with her during the coming year.

After singing "'Til We Meet Again," the group adjourned until September.

Mrs. Frank Keller Is Bridge Hostess

MISSION — Bright colored zinnias in varied hues gave summer charm to the rooms when Mrs. Frank Keller entertained the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

Mrs. Dalton Killinger held high score honors for the afternoon and Mrs. A. P. Landry, second high. Others seated for the games were Miss Mary Bea Tiller and Mesdames Norton Boyd, Pat Levens, Charles Langston, O. W. Edwards and the hostess.

Cooling refreshments were served after the games.

Delegate Is Named To Council Meeting

EDCOUCH—Mrs. W. W. Wilson presided at a meeting of the Lone Star Home Demonstration Club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leslie Hughes. Mrs. James R. Barr was named delegate to the County Council meeting in June when three delegates from the various clubs of the county will be elected to attend a meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association members in College Station during the month of July. Mrs. Barr the council delegate gave a report of the last council meeting and announced that the encampment would be held at McAllen on June 12th.

The hostess served a delicious sweet course.

Elaborate Dance Given To Honor Girl Graduate

EDINBURG—Miss Barbara Baldridge, 1940 graduate of Edinburg High School, was honored by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dair Baldridge, at a large reception and dance at the Country Club Thursday night.

Receiving the guests were Mrs. Baldridge, wearing a striking gown of navy blue pique with white flower design and a fitted bolero of white; the honoree, who chose a white net gown with a basque waist with ruffled sweetheart neckline and a ruffled skirt; Miss Sonora Bryan, wearing a pink net skirt with a fitted blouse of taffeta; Miss Helen Frances Ramsour, attractive in a black net shirred creation; Miss Charlotte Tinkler, wearing a white chiffon blouse over a Roman stripe skirt; and Miss Billie Jean Roberts, in a pretty white taffeta gown.

Miss Barbara Baldridge (Kerr Photo)

Rainbow colored streamers were suspended from rafter to rafter, in a draped effect and hanging from the center of the ballroom was a huge silver spangled sphere upon which rainbow colors from a color wheel shone. At vantage points were huge baskets of gladiolas.

Miss Kay Teer had charge of the guest book, the memory book of the honoree.

Miss Marjorie Bonner and Miss Joyce Post guided the guests to the reception room where pleasing refreshments were served.

The table, covered with orchid cellophane, was centered with a chromium fountain surrounded by fern, pink rosebuds and lavender asters with eight orchids and pink glowing tapers illuminating the scene. The three-tiered cake, pink with orchid and yellow flowers embossed, was at one end of the table and at the other was the crystal punch bowl with the lavender punch. Pastel mints were served with the dainties. White napkins were ombossed with the honoree's name, "Barbara" in silver.

Pouring during the reception were Misses Bernice Douglass and Billie Kyle and Mrs. N. T. Presley cut the cake.

Graciously assisting were Mesdames Watt F. Tinkler, J. Loy Ramsour and M. C. Harris.

Following the reception about 300 guests danced to the music of Tony Valdez and his orchestra.

Mrs. John H. Barron Installed As Head Of Brownsville Federation

BROWNSVILLE — Reports of officers committee heads, and delegates, and the installation of new officers featured the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Brownsville Federation of Women's clubs in the final session of the year.

A large attendance was noted at the gathering at the First Presbyterian church.

As each officer, committee head and delegate made her report, Mrs. Neil Allen, retiring president, presented each with a rosebud in expression of her appreciation for cooperation. In her report, Mrs. Allen gave a resume of the year's work, emphasizing the work toward social betterment and beautification of Brownsville. At the close of her address, she was presented with a handsome gift from the federation by the incoming president, Mrs. John F. Barron.

In an impressive and original service, Mrs. Charles Watson installed the following elective and appointed officers: president, Mrs. John Barron, of the Athenian club; first vice-president, Mrs. J. Harrison Diltz, Brownsville Study club; second vice-president, Mrs. J. Gordon White of the Junior Self-Culture club; Recording secretary, Mrs. J. Grider Perkins of the Civic League; treasurer, Miss Ella Evans of the Self-Culture; corresponding secretary, Miss Betty Rockwell of the Junior Self-Culture club; parliamentarian, Mrs. Neil Allen, of the Self-Culture club; publicity, Mrs. D. P. Gay, Civic League; historian, Mrs. V. L. Conrad, Self-Culture; clubhouse, Mrs. W. A. George, Civic League; auditor, Mrs. Fred Knapp, of the Athenian club.

Immediately after her installation, Mrs. Barron was presented with a lovely arm bouquet of flowers by the Athelan club, and with the flower-decorated gavel by Mrs. Allen. The incoming leader made a brief talk outlining her aims and objectives for the year.

The next meeting of the federation will be held in the fall.

McAllen Methodist W.M.S. Hold Month's Social Gatherings

McALLEN — The Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church held their monthly social meetings Thursday at the homes of members.

The Ruth circle was entertained by Mrs. W. W. Holmes with Mrs. M. H. Laycock as co-hostess at the former's home. Mrs. M. B. Bormann gave the devotional with the program on "The Way of Peace in a World of Force" arranged by Mrs. Elmer Bentsen with Mrs. J. R. Harris assisting. Mrs. Bormann gave the skit she presented at the southwestern conference at Yoakum recently.

Virginia Holmes presided when refreshments were served to 19 members and one guest, Mrs. H. D. Rhodes.

At Mrs. O. K. Gilvin's home the Easter circle was entertained with Mrs. E. W. Ogden in charge. Mrs. Alma Osborn was in charge of the program, "The Blazer of Trails in inter-Racial Understanding" by Mrs. Luke Johnson. Assisting were Mrs. J. F. Robinson and Mrs. G. C. Ehlinger.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames George Fox, George Alley, J. F. Robinson, Jesse Whittaker, H. C. Quinn, A. E. Miller, S. Wetmore, H. K. Hasness, Claude Adamson, Alice Kunz, E. W. Odger, Floyd Glasscock, Ima Osborne, Ehlinger, Henry Glasscock, Thomas J. Hawarth William Albers and F. P. Phillips.

Moors Are Hosts To Bridge Group

EDCOUCH—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moore entertained the Merry Makers Bridge Club his week at their home. Lovely flowers were used for floral decorations. High score for the evening was held by Mrs. Gordon Smith and D. M. Fraser.

The hosts served light refreshments to Messrs and Mesdames T. S. Hughes, D. M. Fraser, Gordon Smith, Mrs. Henry Watson and Mrs. V. M. Watson.

Praise Given Recitalists

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. C. P. Barreda, director of the School of Music M. B. G., and her pupils, are still receiving letters of congratulation and commendation on interpretation and technique on the recital held May 15 at the junior college auditorium.

Mrs. Barreda presented in recital her pupils: Carmelita Celaya, Margaret Aziz, Mary Chengos, Josephine Sobrino, Helen Serafy, Marie Emita Marin, Maria de la Garza, Marie Perez and Miss Irene Alonso Reed.

Camelita Celaya, who has been studying for only five months, presented selctions by Bayer and Kleinmichel; Margaret Aziz, Beyer, Girynn, and Poldini; Mary Chengos, Beyer, Richter, and Allison; Josephine Sobrino, Beyer, Weitz, and Brahms.

Helen Serafy, who was given her first grade certificate played works of Gurlit, Burgmuller, Clementi, Strauss; Maria Emita Mario, Bach, Heller, Czerny, Poldini, and Reinhold; Maria Estela Perez, Bach, Beller, Czerny, Chopin, Brahms, and Hel Heins.

Maria de la Garza, who presented selections by Bach, Heller, Czerny, Clementi, Lhadow and Paderewski, was presented the gold medal by Professor Antonio Ortiz, who acted as judge. The medal is awarded for the most progress during the year and for performance. Miss Reed, an advanced pupil, was presented her fourth grade certificate.

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Luncheon Marks Close Year's Work

HARLINGEN—Mrs. A. H. Goldammer and Mrs. A. T. Taylor were joint hostesses at the former's home for the covered dish luncheon held Thursday by the Child Study Club. The affair marked the close of the year's activity, except for the monthly birthday parties sponsored for children of members.

Pink and blue, the club's colors, were emphasized in pretty arrangements of floweras about the rooms. Small containers of pink and blue blooms centered the quarter tables and cups in pink and blue held mints in matching shades.

Mrs. K. I. Dague gave the afternoon's talk discussing "Parents' Responsibility for their Children." Plans were made for an old-fashioned box supper Friday night at the home of Mrs. Harvey Richards when guests will be invited.

Mrs. Glenn Schuepbach, retiring president, was installing officer when the new club officers assumed their posts. They are Mrs. E. B. McClellan, president; Mrs. L. E. Seligman, vice president; Mrs. J. B. Hicks, treasurer; and Mrs. Frank Dempsey, secretary.

Committee chairmen include: Mrs. Seligman, program; Mrs. Schuepbach, social; Mrs. R. C. Frush, welfare; Mrs. J. C. Thrash, reporter and scrapbook; Mrs. Taylor, parliamentarian and Mrs. T. W. Foeh, attendance.

In behalf of the club Mrs. McClellan presented a lovely gift to Mrs. Schuepbach.

Members present in addition to the above named were Mesdames O. R. Flynn, Walter Maloan, W. O. Weller Jr., E. O. Matz, Joe Wood, and Harvey Richards. Mrs. R. M. Kirkland was a guest.

Mrs. Clark Is Hostess

McALLEN—Bowls of roses and double pinks lent fragrance and pleasing charm to the home of Mrs. Virgil Clark when she was hostess to the Sunny Border Bridge Club Wednesday. Mrs. Howell Norwood won the high score trophy in games of auction bridge.

Special guests were Mesdames Alfred Meyers, F. J. Johnson, Tonis Huston, Howell Norwood, Grace L. Miller Gilbert Huss, A. D. Hubbard, Miss Murial Mathis, and Mrs. H. E. Bennet, of Segraves, Texas, mother of the hostess.

Late in the afternoon a delicious dessert course was served to the guests and the following members, Mesdames O. C. Miller, W. D. Baden, Ray Erickson, Arthur Swalm, O. M. Stetson, M. A. Ingram, and Miss Ardath Miller.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Hubbard June 5.

Unique Event Honors Trio

HARLINGEN—One of the outstanding events for the high school graduates this week was a unique "slack tea" which was given at the home of Mrs. W. H. Matz honoring three girl graduates, Misses Geneva Llewellyn and Delitha Bothwell of Harlingen and Dorothy Hirsch of San Benito. Miss Florence Matz was co-hostess.

Throughout the rooms were lovely arrangements of roses, snapdragons and cosmos. The tea table was spread on the lawn and had a mirror plaque for centerpiece surrounded by red and white blossoms and fern. Favors were little May baskets of flowers.

Guests were Misses Jean Smith, Helen Batson Rozanne Pile, Bettylou Williams, Betty Louise Sanford, Clementine Baker, Margie Harwood, Dorothy Lloyd, Bernice Childress, Bernell Childress, Floyce Garrett, Evelyn Mae Carlson, Frances Hyland, Virginia Hill, Agnes Howell, Evangeline Prenzler, Mary Jo Phipps, and LuVerna McKenna.

Guests from San Benito were Misses Marie Ann Horkman, Juanita Hirsch, Corrine Prather, Dorothy Jean Barber, and Frieda Schneider.

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McAllen Beta Sigma Phi's Plan Work

Officers of the McAllen chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority were busily discussing program arrangements in one of their executive sessions recently, the first held since the new group was installed. One of the active social and cultural organizations in the city, meetings of the sorority are marked by its standard excellence of programs. New officers are left to right, Mrs. John Beckenholdt, vice president; Miss Dorothy Allsen, treasurer; Miss Rubye Maddux, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Jack Doherty, president; and Miss Virginia Bonner, recording secretary.

VISITS SISTER

LA FERIA—Edward Wallace Jr., is visiting his sister, Miss Carolyn Wallace, at Liberty, Texas.

LA FERIA—Mrs. R. L. Clayton and Jean are visiting Mrs. Clayton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reeves at Bonham, Texas.

VISITING SISTER

LA FERIA—Mrs. F. O. Costello of LaRue is visiting her sister, Mrs F. C. Hall.

Club Year Ended For Ebanos Unit

BROWNSVILLE — Reports from all officers and committee heads were heard by members of Los Ebanos Garden club at the final meeting of the current club year Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. Joe K. Wells.

The members voted to meet only once a month next year. These sessions will be held on the third Thursday in the month. Initial plans were made for a large benefit bridge to be held in the fall.

The new slate of officers, who will be installed next year, were presented These are Mrs. R. A. Porter, president; Mrs. Osca M. Longnecker, Jr., vice-president; Mrs. Bill Barber, secretary; and Mrs. C. S. Eidman, treasurer.

Those attending were Mesdames A. K. Black, Robert M. D. Duffy, Larry Lightner, W. E. McDavitt, Drew Patterson, Oscar M. Longnecker, Jr., Dean Porter, R. A. Porter, Martin Price, Herbert D. Seago, Thomas H. Sweeney, Joe Vivier, Jr., and Jack Wiech.

TO ATTEND WEDDING

MISSION — Mrs. R. P. Conway, Miss Mary Alice Conway and Miss Alice Fred left Wednesday for Faulkton, S. D., where they will attend the wedding of Miss Frad's sister, to take place Sunday. Mrs. Conway and her daughter will return late in June, while Miss Frad will remain in the north for the summer.

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This 'N' That

By Minnie Gilbert

CENIZO BUSHES are bursting with bloom right now.

And most folks don't know whether this means another rain, the deluge Corpus Christi got Thursday, or maybe is a result of the 4½ inches of a few weeks back.

Just before that deluge some cenizo hedges were lightly covered with the pinkish flowers.

So there's always ground for arguing the belief of many that cenizo blooms mean rain.

It's been our notion that cenizo blooms and the heart's delight of the Falfurrias section are nearly identical in color but we've never had the chance to observe the two together.

ALWAYS AN interesting conversationalist, Father Antoine attracts a rapt audience these days whenever he has time to give the war background of his native corner of France.

In his lifetime there have been three major invasions by Germans of the area in which he grew to boyhood.

Before the outbreak of hostilities, he remarked 16 male members of his family, mostly nephews, were on lists that would be among the very first called for national defense.

SOME ONE OUGHT to tell the orioles that the persimmon crop isn't worth waiting for this spring.

For the first time in years, the chapotes have failed to produce a bumper crop of sweetish black fruit for the mocking birds and orioles to fight their annual battles over.

Another failure on the part of nature to follow Valley precedent was the total lack of ebony blossoms after the tremendous rain of a few weeks ago.

Usually a good rain brings out fuzzy mantles of the fragrant blossoms but for some time ebony blooms have been a rarity.

THE MAN WITH the green fingers says plant mountain laurel seeds with a part of the red showing above the ground.

In other words a la nature.

Just so partly exposed, one might expect seeds to be situated after falling from the trees in their tough black pods.

REFER TO MEASLES as "it" not "them" an authority corrects a remark.

Bouts with three forms of measles gives us deep respect for "it."

WAX YOUR OWN thread is the advice given by Mrs. Frank Grimsell after learning of the advantage of using the waxed sewing thread being sold in the mid-west but not yet handled in Valley stores.

Waxed thread doesn't knot or tangle and is a special joy in making buttonholes—the old-fashioned kind.

The Harlingen woman simply drops the spools of cotton twist into melted hot wax and the entire skein is impregnated enough to make knotting unlikely.

THERE'S NOTHING like watching the big water rolling in on the Gulf of Mexico to clear heads muddled with war news and defense talk.

In fact, there's nothing like water to make summer more pleasant on the beach or at home.

Which brings to mind that a lot of kiddies could be having fun in the wading pool at the Harlingen park near the Woman's Building if it were reconditioned for use.

Members of the Day Nursery board would like for it to be made available for the 20 or more children cared for at the nursery when their afternoon naps are over.

A certain period could be allotted for these youngsters and earlier or later hours for other children if some club or adults would be responsible for watching an hour or so each afternoon.

By draining the water out at regular periods, there would be no possibility of danger to a child venturing in at times when watchers were not on duty.

ORNAMENTAL PEPPERS, as well as the many interesting gourds now claiming the interest of gardeners, are gaining in popularity in the Valley especially with owners of Spanish and ranch-type homes.

A new variety of pepper developed in the J. W. Mayfield garden near Stuart Place promises to excite a great deal of comment.

The plants are a cross between a large flat German yellow pepper and the ornamental pepper common to the Valley.

Seed for the yellow flat variety were brought direct from Germany by the former Margaret Graalman.

Fruit from the hybrid, developed in Mrs. Mayfield's flower garden last year for the first time, are not so large as the German peppers but are smooth and a beautiful red color.

Recital Set Friday

BROWNSVILLE — Miss Betty Jean McMinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. McMinn, will be presented in a studio recital Friday evening by Miss Virginia Perry, her instructor.

Miss McMinn, one of the talented pianists in the Valley, will be heard at the event to be held beginning at 8 o'clock in Miss Perry's studio, 508 Elizabeth street. Assisting the pianist will be Miss Elizabeth Canales, soprano who will be presented in several numbers by her instructor, Miss Mildred Ormesher.

Miss McMinn, who has been studying piano for the past 10 years, is assistant organist for the First Presbyterian church, and was heard in organ recital last year.

GOES TO KANSAS

ALAMO—Mrs. C. F. Reynard accompanied Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Reynard to Manhattan, Kansas on Friday to attend the commencement exercises of her son, Leon.

To Wed At West Point

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Mayer of Woodhaven, N. Y. and Wantagh, Long Island, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Beatrice Mayer, to Cadet William Goodnow Stoddard, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stoddard of La Feria, Texas and Howell, Mich. The wedding will take place June 14 at the West Point Chapel.

Wedding Will Follow West Point Graduation Of Youth From La Feria

LA FERIA—An announcement of much interest to friends in this community and other Valley cities is being made today in newspapers in New York City. The announcement reads:

"Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Mayer of Woodhaven, New York and Wantagh, Long Island, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Beatrice Marie Mayer, to Cadet William Goodnow Stoddard, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stoddard of La Feria, Texas and Howell, Michigan.

"Miss Mayer, after graduating from high school, studied art education and later fashion design at Pratt Institute. She comes from the third generation of a famous lumber family.

"Mr. Stoddard will graduate from the United States Military Academy in June.

"The wedding is scheduled for June 14 at the West Point Chapel after which there will be a reception at the Thayer West Point Hotel. After the wedding the couple plan an extended honeymoon through the United States, Canada, and Mexico.

"The bridesmaids are Miss Lillian Kaye of Brooklyn, N. Y., Miss Dorothea Marsh of New Jersey, and Miss Jean Roberts of New York, students at Pratt Institute, and Miss Betty McDonald of New York.

John Manley Stoddard, brother of the bridegroom-elect will be best man. Ushers will include Thomas Gordon of Maine, Alan Rorick of Ohio, and Alan Stock of New York, Mr. Stoddard's classmates.

June Event Slated By Child Study

BROWNSVILLE—Members of the Child Study club will install new officers at the final meeting of the year which will be in the form of a Dutch breakfast in the patio at Landrum's June 11.

At this session, Mrs. Frank Kolster, president of the Valley-wide Council of Mothers will be guest speaker. She will be presented by the new prospectus committee headed by Mrs. Harold Haaker and Mrs. David Joost, junior and senior directors.

Those to be installed include Mrs. David J. Young, Jr., president; Mrs. Raymond Richards, first vice president; Mrs. Earnest Harris, second vice president; Mrs. R. L. Hunter, secretary; Mrs. R. W. DuBose, corresponding secretary; Miss Gladys Zook, treasurer, and Mrs. David Joost, parliamentarian.

Committees for next year include: Program, Mrs. David Joost, Mrs. Harold Haaker; membership, Mrs. R. W. DuBose and Mrs. Earnest Harris; finance, Mrs. R. L. Hunter; entertainment, Mrs. Frank Torres.

All mothers who are interested in child study work are cordially invited to attend the June session.

At the meetings this year panel discussions were held and different phases of child training work taken up.

Recreation Talk Given For Club

HARLINGEN—A very delightful talk on recreation for club meetings, with demonstrations in the form of songs, skits, and get-acquainted talks, was given to the South Harlingen Home Demonstration Club at their recent meeting by Mrs. J. C. Peek.

Mrs. C. E. Morgan was elected delegate to the associational meet and Mrs. Horace Bobo named secretary to succeed Mrs. Browning Smith, resigned.

Study Club Ends Study For Year

New Committees Are Announced

HARLINGEN—Annual reports of officers and a glance forward at the program of study for the coming year were furnished members of the Harlingen Study Club Thursday when they met at the Woman's Building.

Mrs. A. B. Newell directed the program and asked each member to mention briefly the particular event or report at the Valley Federation meeting that impressed her most.

Mrs. T. S. Herren was installing officer when the corpus for the new club year assumed their posts. Mrs. J. N. Crawford was installed for a second term as president. Other officers are Mrs. Keith McCanse, first vice president; Mrs. R. M. Loving, second vice president; Mrs. Stanley Bliss, recording secretary; Mrs. M. A. Childers, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Wm. L. Trammell, treasurer; Committee chairmen announced by Mrs. Crawford include: Mrs. Paul Brown, historian; Mrs. F. T. Neary, parliamentarian; Mrs. J. J. Murray, critic, and Mrs. Dan Murphy, press reporter.

Mrs. Murphy, new yearbook chairman, distributed books for the coming year and briefly sketched the study entitled, "Vistas All About Us." She presented members of her committee who assisted in preparation of the study program.

Members of the retiring yearbook committee were hostesses for the short social period when punch was served with cookies.

Dinner Dance Held By Club

HARLINGEN—A gay event of the week was the dinner dance given by the Dunkers Club at the Swiss chalet Wednesday night with members of the Hearts Club as special guests and Miss Delitha Bothwell, charter club member, as honoree. Miss Bothwell, who is a 1940 high school graduate, received a gift from the club.

A spring dance by Miss Florence Matz was a special feature.

The members and guests were seated at a long table for the courses. Purple and gold, the club colors, were noted in decoration of the hall. Mrs. E. O. Matz, club president, was toast mistress.

Present were Messrs. and Mesdames E. O. Matz, Alex Matz, Frank Matz, Lynn McCall, Bill Winters Bob Strong and Bob Gamble, Mesdames L. Hirsch, San Benito, Bill Otha, Houston, Mary Everhardt, and Charlene McBride.

Misses Edna Belle Farrar, Frances Payne, Bernice Prenzler, Gladys Wallace, Juanita and Dorothy Hirsch, Delitha Bothwell, Sarah Hanna, Lorraine Codner, and Evelyn Dell, and Frank Mage, La Feria, Martin Matz, Glenn Otha, David Jeffrey and John Matz.

Encampment Plans Reported To Club

HARLINGEN — Palmetal club members heard plans for encampment and the council report at the recent meeting at the home of Mrs. W. R. Elmore. Mrs. J. L. McMillian is in charge of the evening entertainment at camp when a prize of a dollar will be given for the best three minute report of last year's work completed by all clubs.

Money and blanks must be presented to Mrs. W. A. Hext not later than June 7, it was announced, for the construction of matteresses.

All members were urged to attend the meeting next club day when pictures of all officers and members will be made for the club scrapbook.

Refreshments were served to 16.

TO GRADUATE

MISSION—Jose M. Austin, Mission, is one of the candidates for graduation listed on the invitations to the commencement exercises of Shreiner Institute, Kerrville. The graduation programs will be held from May 26 to May 29.

Graduate Is Honoree

Miss Betty Ruth Doshier, Edcouch-Elsa high school honor student, is one of the girl graduates honored with a number of interesting events during the commencement season. She is the daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. L. B. Doshier. During her senior year Miss Doshier was queen of the Hallowe'en carnival, an outstanding school event, cheer leader for the Yellow Jacket pep squad and president of the music club. (Kerr Studio)

Brownsville Pair Notes Anniversary

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Marcelo Garzo celebrated their 32nd wedding anniversary with a family dinner and reception Friday evening at their home.

Magnolia blossoms were used as the centerpiece for the table, and for decorations about the rooms.

Members of the family who attended the dinner were their sons, Eleno Garza and Mrs. Garza of Weslaco, Salvador Garza and Mrs. Garza, Jr.; the celebrants' daughters, Mrs. Alfonso Alonso and Mr. Alonso, Misses Raquel and Irma Garza; and six grandchildren. Another guest was Mrs. Marcelo Garza's sister, Mrs. Facunda M. Vda de Moya of Matamoros.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcelo Garza, both of Matamoros, married 32 years ago in their home city, came to the American side of the river to spend their honeymoon and remained to make their home. Mrs. Garza is the former Miss Virginia Moya.

Wood WMS Unit Handles Program For Baptists

BROWNSVILLE—The Wood circle was in charge of the program with Mrs. Roy Alderman as leader at the meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church.

The topic, "Youth of Today," was discussed by Mesdames W. C. Wood, Charles Pierce, Clyde Richmond, J. P. Glenn, Fred Knapp, Roy Alderman, K. A. Wallace, Sam Lee and R. H. Bice. Mrs. Wallace played a violin solo, and Mrs. Lester Crawford also assisted with the program.

Rodneys Leave

BROWNSVILLE—Colonel George Bridges Rodney, U. S. A. retired, and Mrs. Rodney, have returned to their home in San Antonio after spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Davis.

Baptist Camp Opens Soon In Rio Hondo

RIO HONDO—Beginning of summer vacation will afford particular enjoyment and benefit to the scores of Baptist young people expected to enroll this week for the annual encampment sponsored by the Lower Rio Grande Valley Association of Baptist W.M.U.

Boys will register Monday afternoon and continue camp activities until Wednesday afternoon when girls will arrive to remain for the rest of the week.

Mrs. James Hicks, Corpus Christi, district young people's leader, will be in charge of registration. Rev. Claud Hennessee of Sebastian is camp director, and Mrs. A. J. Harrell, Edcouch, associational young people's leader, is general director. She will be assisted by all local W.M.U. leaders.

Particular interest will be afforded by the talks to be presented by missionaries during the week. Mrs. D. H. LaSuer, Mission, former missionary to Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Newbrough of Harlingen, are among the missionary speakers.

Inspirational services and study periods have been scheduled during the day, broken frequently by recreation sessions, camp stunts, and intervals for outdoor sports.

Maces Leave

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mace plan to leave Wednesday by motor for Minneapolis, Minnesota, where they will visit Mrs. Mace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nylen. While in Minnesota they will visit in Montevideo with Mr. Mace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mace. At present they plan to return to Brownsville about June 14, and to spend the following week-end in Mexico City, going there by plane.

WINS PRIZE TRIP

LOS FRESNOS—Bill Lupton, who has been taking a business course in San Antonio, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lupton, over the weekend. Bill, who has won a trip to Indianapolis, will leave on May 28.

Mrs. Bowers New Matron For O. E. S.

HARLINGEN — Mrs. Mary M. Bowers was named worthy matron for the coming year at the Thursday night meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star. She will succeed Mrs. Berta Paine who has directed the chapter for the year now ending. The new group of officers includes: Mrs. Bowers, worthy matron; Grover Brown, worthy patron; Mrs. Celia Fristoe, associate matron; Hugh Ramsey, associate patron; Mrs. Ethel Connell, secretary; Mrs. Neva Twiss, treasurer; Mrs. Martha Smith, conductress; Mrs. Lola Ramsey, associate conductress; Mrs. Gussie Carr, chaplain; Mrs. Bert McGlathery, marshal; Mrs. Mabel Lee Perry, organist; Mrs. Alice McKeithan, Adah; Mrs. Denna Thompson, Ruth; Mrs. Viola Fredrickson, Esther; Mrs. Carolyn Phillips, Ether; Mrs. Estelline Hubert, Electa; Miss Margaret Jennings, warder; and Dr. F. N. Smith, sentinel.

Public installation will be May 31 at 8 p.m. at the Masonic Hall. Next meeting will be June 13.

At the close of the Thursday evening meeting, pleasing refreshments were served by Mrs. Ida Bowersox.

Clio Club Group Plans For Stay At Encampment

HARLINGEN—Mrs. C. R. McInnis and Miss Lillian McInnis entertained the Clio Home Demonstration club at their home this week. During the business session plans for the encampment in Rio Hondo June 13-14 were made.

Mrs. D. R. Bowden was placed in charge of the stunts, Mrs. B. W. Searcy was named chairman of the exhibit committee, and Mrs. F. F Ewing was named to give the club report.

Mrs. Clay Mills gave the report of the last council meeting and Mrs. James Marshall gave an interesting account of her trip to San Antonio for the district meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs.

The program was in accordance with national celebration of Music Week. Mrs. Ewing gave a talk on the life of Stephen C. Foster and the club sang some of his best loved songs with Miss McInnis at the piano.

Delightful refreshments were served to 18 members and one guest.

Well, now that the golf turnament is over, we can settle down. Guy LaRoe, new women's public links golf champion, was feted at the Cabana and reecived a big hand from the crowd when she spoke from the podium. Mrs. LaRoe is from Terrell, Texas. We have it from good authority that one of the Harlingen women has sworn to bring home the trophy next year. Here's hoping.

Miss Jerry Chastain entertained her club at a dinner Friday, May 17th. On Monday, Mrs. Hill Cocke had dinner for 14 in the Cabana. The chamber of commerce had a directors meeting in the Green room at the Madison also on Monday. The PTA had a meeting in one of the air-conditioned meeting rooms at the Madison Hotel on Friday, May 24. Miss Jackson planned a luncheon for the Gemma Si Sorority, in the Cabana on Saturday.

The Cabana is sporting a number of beautiful new tables, covered with plate glass mirrors. You know that corner booth that you had so much trouble getting into, on account of the table being too large? Well, you should see the cute new table now reposing in that corner. Just the right size.

J. L. Head's location is finished and looks mighty fine indeed. The Madison will sport fine new office and store spaces and we understand there are a couple left, yet to be rented, but they are going fast.

Larry, of the Arizonians, appearing nightly in the Cabana, played a dirty trick on Carl, also of the Arizonians. While Carl was out one evening, Larry soaped Carl's fiddle strings and when Carl started to swing out on a particular hot number, he sawed away and no sound came forth. It had the whole audience in stitches for a full 10 minutes and Carl hasn't gotten over it yet.

Bill LaFon, Jr., son of the manager of the Cortez Hotel and himself a fine hotel man, from Nogales, Arizona, was a visitor in the Cabana last Saturday night. Bill drives a very classy looking Cord automobile that looks like a fire wagon. "Cattle on the highway don't bother me," says Bill. "I just drive under them."

There's a certain young man who frequents the Cabana who has made various and sundry attempts to make a date with a certain young lady who frequents the Cabana, but each time has been crudely stood-up. This certain young man is definitely fed up and has lost much faith in womanhood. Too bad for the certain young lady.

The new Donna Coffee Shop is going to be most attractive indeed. And its the only air-conditioned coffee shop in Donna.

The Arizonians, popular harmony trio appearing daily in the Cabana, have worked up a college song medley. They'd like to play your favorite. Come in and hum it out for them and they'll learn it pronto.—Adv.

Calendar

BROWNSVILLE

MONDAY

B. P. W. club at the home of Mrs. Wilma Ogan before picnic supper and annual business meeting at the home of Mrs. Jacquelyn Ridley at 7 p. m.

Concert by a double male quartet from San Benito at the First Methodist church at 8 p. m.

TUESDAY

Luncheon for the Junior Service League at 12:30 p. m. at Landrum's.

WEDNESDAY

Penny Supper at the Central Christian church.

THURSDAY

Friendly Hour Study club with Mrs. O. C. Brown.

Mexican luncheon by the Alpha Study club at 12:30 p. m. at Landrum's.

FRIDAY

Public installation rites for Hope Chapter 124, OES, at 8 p. m. at the Masonic Temple.

Piano recital by Miss Betty Jean McMinn at the studio, 508 Elizabeth street, at 8 p. m.

Leave For Ohio

LA FERIA—Mrs. W. C. Beesley and daughter, Miss Doris, left during the weekend for Delaware, Ohio where they will spend the summer months with Mrs. Beesley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hills. Accompanying them as far as Memphis, Tenn., are Mrs. R. P. Roach and children, Russell Jr., and Madge who will visit Mrs. Roach's parents there for several weeks.

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Miss Cisneros Honoree For Supper

Miss Bertha Margarita (Berita) Cisneros, one of the attractive high school graduates of Villa Maria of the Incarnate Word was honored by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Cisneros of Brownsville at a dinner this week. The dinner was attended by Miss Cisneros' classmates. (A. Rogers Photo)

O. E. S. Heads Are Elected In La Feria

LA FERIA—Election of officers featured the meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star held this week. Named to office were:

Miss Anna D. Harpst, worthy matron; Richard Swope, worthy patron; Mrs. Fay Jones, associate matron; Elmer Jones, associate patron; Miss Lila Dyer, conductress; Mrs. Jeanette Roach, associate conductress; Miss Elberta Wiley, secretary; Mrs Pearl Moet, treasurer.

Installation rites and program will be held Friday evening, May 31 with Mrs. J. L. McNail as installing officer.

Miss Elberta Wiley, retiring worthy matron, presented her corps of officers with lovely gifts as the meeting closed.

Students Give Piano Recital

McALLEN — An entertaining piano ensemble program was given last week by Miss Eva Ellen Miller's pupils at her studio decorated for the occasion with quantities of flowers.

The girls taking part on the program were attractive in the long, pastel-toned evening dresses. A representative group of parents comprised the audience.

Featuring the program was group work on three pianos with between two and seven students playing each number.

Participating with Ruth Hendricks, Kathryn Aaron, Irene Elmore, Beverly Chambers, Betty Lee Polk, John Duby, Carl Albers, Marilyn Crawford, Dolors Albers, Lois Jean Kuhn, Cynthia Little Barbara Knops, Betty Elaine Berman, Norma Lee Westerman, Kathryn Ann Bormann, Eunice Elser, Harriet Parks, Vivian Lawrence.

Robert Kier, Betty Jear. Edelstein, Shirley Chambers, Mary Lou Barnes, all of McAllen; Shelly Conquest, Mildred Da eron and Glenn Fox of Pharr; Shirley Reichert and Barbara Cramer of San Juan; and Louise Mettlach of Edinburg.

A cash award for faithfulness at practice was given Eunice Elser with Kathryn Ann Bormann, Shelly Conquest and Eunice Elser winning pins on their notebooks.

To climax the entertainment all the students were guests Thursday afternoon at a swimming party and picnic at Cascade pool. About 30 attended.

McAllen O.E.S. Leaders Honored With Banquet

McALLEN—Feting Mrs. George Edwards, worthy matron of the McAllen chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, was a party given for chapter officials Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Ammon Bradshaw.

The chapter will elect new officers Monday night at the regular meeting at the Masonic Temple.

The entertainment was a covered dish supper after which guests embroidered blocks for a "friendship" quilt to be presented the outgoing matron.

Quantities of roses decorated the house with beauty and were used effectively to adorn the long table at which dinner was served.

Present were Mrs. Lula Germane, Mrs. Ora Lee Loveli, Mrs. Mary Bazar, Mrs. Georgia Mathis, Mrs. Anna Clark McCray, Mrs. Marion Burris, Mrs. Jewell Edwards, Mrs. Ilo Laycock, Mrs. Maybelle Smitham, Mrs. Elizabeth Zachman, Mrs. Velma Thursby, Miss Nora Wilmer, Mrs. Ruie Kelly and Mrs. Bradshaw.

Garden Party In Mission Is Delightful

MISSION—One of the most beautiful gardens in the Upper Valley provided the setting for a charming hospitality Tuesday afternoon when the Mission Garden Club members entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles Volz with their annual garden party. Approximately 200 guests called.

In the receiving line were Mesdames Volz, A. R. Schuelke, Joe N. Summers, Sam Bennett, Katie Frazier, M. W. Boger, John Brannan, and C. B. Williams. Mrs. A. L. Goble presided at the guest register and Mrs. C. O. Papke directed junior club members who conducted the guests through the gardens.

Mrs. A. F. Volz introduced a program of music and readings during the afternoon.

A punch bowl was set in garden wheelbarrow and surrounded by pink flowers and fern, when the guests were served refreshments underneath the shady trees. Members of the junior unit served the punch and passed baskets of cookies.

Short Course Plans Aired

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. G. J. Weikel was hostess to the Home Demonstration Club at her home Thursday which was graced by spring flowers. Mrs. W. C. Cain, president, was in charge of the meeting when Mrs. Emmett Work was nominated to attend a council picnic in Harlingen at which time delegates for the A. and M. Short Course trip will selected. Plans were made for a coffee to be held at the home of Mrs. C. Cilley on Friday, May 31, from 9 to 10 a. m. The purpose of the coffee is to raise funds for the Short Course trip.

Miss Lu Elsie Nagel gave a demonstration on making wall paper cleaner, floor wax, and floor stain. She also demonstrated methods of removing ordinary stains.

Next meeting will be June 27 at the home of Mrs. Francis Schmidt when each member is to bring a sample of yeast bread or variations to the meeting.

Large Event Honors Pair In Willacy

RAYMONDVILLE — A large affair honoring Supt. and Mrs. M. L. Deviney, who are leaving soon for Daisetta, was the covered dish supper held in the recreation room of the Methodist church under the sponsorship of the choir which Mrs. Deviney has directed for several years.

Mrs. Deviney was presented with a shoulder corsage of centeauri and also received as a gift from the choir a cocktail and salad set of crystal.

Harry W. Cook, acting as Kay Kayser, conducted an entertaining musical program.

Several hundred friends of the couple were guests.

New officers elected for the Raymondville chapter of Order of Eastern Star at their meeting Monday evening were Mrs. Glenn Flinn, worthy matron; J. G. Caudle, worthy patron; Mrs. J. R. Manning, associate worthy matron; W. H. Wahler, associate worthy patron; Mrs. Harvey Geis, secretary; Mrs. Fred Parker, treasurer; Mrs. William Allison, conductress, and Mrs. E. M. Tomme, assistant conductress.

On Friday evening, May 31, there will be a public installation in the Masonic hall.

The Tuesday Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. C. A. Edgerton with Miss Emma Fambrough as joint hostess. James Strawn, county attorney, discussed "Parliamentary Law."

Mrs. E. F. Koerlin was elected delegate to the short course at A. and M. in July.

The Presbyterian Vacation church school will be held in the Presbyterian church beginning Monday morning, June 3, through Sunday evening, June 16.

Each day from 8:30 until 11:30 a. m. a well-rounded program will be presented.

Brownsville BP Slates Annual Meeting, Picnic

BROWNSVILLE — Annua ing of the Business and Prof Women's club will be in th of a picnic supper Monday ning at 7 o'clock at the ho Mrs. Jacquelyn Ridley.

Members of the club will ga first at the home of Mrs. Wi Ogan, and go in a body to the R ley home in the country.

At this session all officers a committee heads will make the a nual reports.

FROM BAY CITY

RIO GRANDE CITY—Mr. and Mrs. Kirkman of Bay City arrived Wednesday to be the guests for a few days of their cousin, C. D. Mosteller and Mrs. Mosteller.

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Officers Inducted By Civic Club

BROWNSVILLE — New officers were installed at the final meeting of the Victoria Heights Civic club when members gathered for a May breakfast at Landrum's.

Centering the table were roses and sweetpeas, and favors were tiny woven May baskets filled with colorful blossoms.

Mrs. R. A. Hightower installed the officers, inducting each with an original verse in which she outlined the officers' duties. Officers are Mrs. R. L. Sledge, president; Mrs. A. E. Kraut, re-elected vice president; and Mrs. John Dutro, re-elected secretary.

Mrs. Gerald E. Lauver, retiring president, presented gifts to her retiring officers Mrs. Dutro and Mrs. Kraut, and Mrs. Dutro made the presentation of a gift from the club to Mrs. Lauver.

In a final address as president, Mrs. Lauver outlined the achievements of the club, dwelling mainly upon the park and the tennis courts.

Guests included Mrs. C. G. Chambers of Sebastian, Mrs. J. D. Dobson, Mrs. R. P. Gilmore, Mrs. R. A. Hightower, and Mrs. Pearl Forister of Cuero. Members attending were Mesdames Royce Russell, N. B. Bradford, J. B Saylor, J. M. Bryant, W. F. MacDonald, Ray Phipps, G. E. Lauver, R. L. Sledge, A. E. Kraut, John Dutro, Kent Crowe, and Harry Crowe, and Miss Oma Darling.

The yearbook committee appointed for next year includes Mrs. Kent Crow, chairman, and Mrs. Ford Lockett and Mrs. John Dutro.

Vacation School Opens In La Feria

LA FERIA — A vacation Bible school will open Monday at the Presbyterian church and continue for two weeks. Sessions will open at 8:30 a. m. and continue for two and a half hours daily.

Children between four and 15 are invited to enroll by the Rev. Fred Hopkins, pastor. Mrs. J. G. Cochrane will be general superintendent.

Assisting in the different departments are Miss Margaret Ellen Giles, Mrs. J. D. Wemple, Mrs. L. M. Burchfield, Miss Gwendolyn Anderson, Mrs. C. J. Hoverson, Mrs. Roy Stephenson, Mrs. R. C. Ashworth, Misses Orlea Carnicom, Viola Yarbrough, Bernice Foust.

GUESTS OF DAUGHTER

LA FERIA—Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sigler are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Young, and family, in Greenwood, Miss., for several weeks.

Tip-Toppers Will Aid In Milk Fund Campaign

McALLEN—Marking their first venture into civic work, the members of the Tip-Top Club will assist the Junior Service League of McAllen with the milk fund currently under way in the city.

The Tip-Toppers decided to assist at a meeting last week. Bottles have been placed in 10 local food and drug stores. All proceeds will be used to purchase milk for undernourished children who are brought to the McAllen Child's Clinic for treatment.

Membership of the Tip-Top Club includes: Hilda Chaleff, Kathleen Wharton, Doris Vines, Mary Jeanette Bonneau, Marjorie Isenberg, Doris Jolly, Norma Lee Westerman, Mary Frances Lundy, Shirley Chambers and Betty Jean Edelstein.

The club is composed of McAllen Senior High School girls and was organized as a social unit during the past spring season.

Calendar

McALLEN

MONDAY

Mrs. W. J. Carter will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

12:30 p.m.—The Rio Grande Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

8:00 p.m.—Officers will be elected at the regular meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star at the Masonic Temple.

8:00 p.m.—Katherine O'Neall will be hostess to the Gamma chapter of the Nu Phi Mu sorority.

TUESDAY

8:00 p.m.—The Beta chapter of the Nu Phi Mu sorority will meet at the home of Miss Gwendolyn Crawford.

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Si Casady will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

FRIDAY

Miss Sara Chidlow will assist at the McAllen Child's Clinic.

SATURDAY

The Beta Sigma Phi sorority will conduct a rummage sale on Guerra street.

HARLINGEN

MONDAY

3:30 p.m. Afflatus Club meets at Woman's Building for closing program of the year.

TUESDAY

3 p.m. Baptist W.M.S. meets at the church.

3 p.m. Sunbeam band meets at the church.

3 p.m. Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service meets at the church.

THURSDAY

10 a.m. Old and new officers Harlingen Rainbow Assembly meet at the Masonic Hall for practice.

8 p.m. Harlingen Assembly, Order of the Rainbow, meets at the Masonic Hall for installation of new officers.

TO MINNESOTA

ALAMO—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denzer left Wednesday for St. Paul, Minnesota, to accompany his mother, Mrs. Lucy Denzer, to her home near there. They will stop at other points en route, including Kansas City and Austin, Texas, where Mr. Denzer will attend an insurance convention in June.

Party Given In Lyford

LYFORD—Mrs. J. J. Dudensing was honored Wednesday afternoon with a shower given by Mrs. R. T. Dudensing. Decorations were bowls of varigated zinnias and Indian paint brush.

Games and contests featured the entertainment. The honoree's fortune was read and gifts presented at the close of the prophecy in a basket of pink and blue.

A dessert course was served to Mesdames C. W. Freeman, Schultz, D. C. Cherrington, Henry Gilbert, Louise Cherrington, Howard Sammons, W. B. Ball, James Pinson, O. L. Harris, Bill Ball, W. A. Cooley, C. O. Carter, G. W. Wilbur, Sallie Walker, A. J. Cox, Lee Cherrington, Fred Gerdes, Emil Spees, John Jurcak, Dave Woods, R. T. Dudensing, J. J. Dudensing, and Misses Evelyn Dudensing, Anne Mae Dudensing, Dorothy Gilbert, and Selma Schultze.

Seven Named Honor Guests

EDINBURG—Miss Charlotte Tinkler was hostess to a "vagabond tray" breakfast Friday morning honoring the high school graduates of the Theta Gamma Gamma Sorority. The honorees were Miss Dorothy Gohman, Sonora Bryan, Ruthie Stephens, Bernice Douglass, Helen West, Billie Murphy and Virginia Clark.

The breakfast was served buffet style, each guest and honoree was given a tray made of glazed paper with varied-color gingham cloths and matching napkins set with colorful pottery. Under a large shade tree in the yard was a table centered by a pineapple in a bed of olives surrounded with glasses of fruit juice in a tray of crushed ice.

The guests were all attired in colorful playsuits and slacks. Present were the honorees, Misses Joyce Post, Marion Davis, Izora Tinkler, Billie Jeane Roberts, Helen Frances Ramsour, Jacqueline Powell, Margaret Statham, Helen Ringland, Billie Kyle, Jackie Murphey, Jane Heanre, Gwendolyn Gohman, Barbara Baldridge, Dorothy Ann Casberg and the hostess.

World Affairs Told In Book Presented By Guest Speaker

WESLACO—Mrs. T. W. Glass was hostess to the Weslaco Woman's Study club Tuesday at her home, with Mrs. Phil Dixon presiding.

Mrs. W. J. Bach, program leader for the afternoon, introduced as the guest speaker, Rev. Archie Reed who gave a review of the book, "Revolution of Mhilliom" by Rauchsnigg.

A social hour followed with delicious refreshment course served.

Joost Pupils Give Recital

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. David Joost presented her pupils in voice, dramatics and piano in a recital in the parlors of the First Baptist church Thursday evening.

Setting for the event was "Milday's Hat Shot," where a poise and personality style show was staged by Doris Harlin, Elizabeth Brown, Janice McKay, Betty McMahon, Shirley McInnis, Beverly Elliott, Miss Stella Dickason; readings, Elizabeth Brown and Janice McKay; voice, Beverly Elliott, Doris Harlan; piano, Betty McMahon.

Piano solos, duets, trios and quartets, Elizabeth Reed, Lily Ethel Denman, Betty Lane Jarratt, Corrine Russell, Patsy Faulk, and Bobbie Slaughter; piano, Audrey Barnes, and Margaret Denman.

Pins were awarded Audrey Barnes, Patsy Faulk and Elizabeth Brown. Betty Lane Jarratt received a gift for the most outstanding "studio" manner.

Younger Set Guests For Wiener Roast

LOS FRESNOS — Mrs. Horace Watson entertained members of the younger set with a wiener roast at her home. Indoor games were played later in rooms with gay zinnias.

Included in the jolly affair were David and Grover Weikel, Frank Greer, Evelon Watson, Joan Pederson, Ethelyn Williams, Jerald Bland, Jimmy and Helen Grabowski, Wanda Lee Pederson, Roger Williams, Geraldine Watson, Grover Greer, Anna May and Patsy Sanders, Evelyn Warren, Billy Joyce Pederson, Nathalee Worlow, Peggy Ann Grunwald and the hostess.

Mrs. Robison Leaves

BROWNSVILLE — Departing Tuesday by motor will be Mrs. C. L. Robison and her young son Charles Barnett, and Mrs. Jack Mohle, and young daughter, Louise.

Mrs. Robison will visit in Clarksville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Jones, and will be joined there at the end of two weeks by Mrs. Gertrude Holcomb who will go with her to Miami, Florida, where the Robisons have been transferred.

Mrs. Mohle will visit her mother, Mrs. R. C. Biggerstaff, in Dallas.

Sister Named Honor Guest

MISSION—Mrs. Dick Banks of Robstown, a Mission visitor this week, entertained Tuesday with a luncheon at the Rancho Grande in McAllen, to honor her sister, Miss Jean Taylor, a 1940 graduate of Mission high school. A spanish theme characterized the luncheon.

Mrs. Joe Nosbisch was named honoree for a shower Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Anton Shafer entertained at her home. Gifts for the honoree's twin babies, Joseph and Suzanne, 10- days old, were presented by the guests.

Dorothy and Bill Gray were presented in a piano recital Monday evening at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray, by their instructor, Mrs. Dale H. Geeslin. Friends of the young artists were invited guests for the occasion.

Seniors Honored By Breakfast Event

ALAMO—The members of the Responsive Chord Sunday school class of the Alamo Community church school, were guests for breakfast Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. J. C. McCreary. A delicious two course breakfast was served from lace-covered tables, centered with bowls of red and white flowers.

Guests of honor were the high school graduates in the class including Misses Glen Mannering, Mary Louise Kastler, Lois Cowley, Geraldine Davis, Patty Toothaker, Janette VanDenbark, Virginia Tanner and Florence Hahn. Other class members attending were Misses Viola Anderson, Janet Wendell, Wilma Muir, Rosemary Drennan, Betty Jo Watts, Janet Toothaker and Florence Dockter.

Honored By Class

ALAMO — Mrs. Jennie Jounkin was honored by her Sunday School Class before her departure for the north, on Wednesday afternoon with a party and shower at the Community Church. There were thirty eight friends present, refreshments were served.

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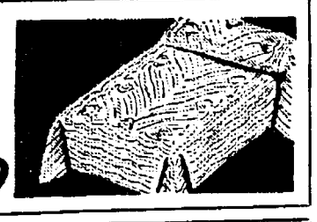

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Valley Proven Oil Fields Break Long Standing Records During Week

Eight New Wells Finished During Week In This Area

Rincon Field Is Active As Davis Group Is Drilling Many Wells

McALLEN—Lower Rio Grande Valley proven oil fields broke records of several years' standing when they reported completion of eight oil wells and one gasser and had nearly a dozen other wells with productive sands already cored or pipe set preparatory to production tests.

Rincon field in eastern Starr county, being developed by W. R. Davis and Company of Houston and New York, completed three new wells and had a half dozen others drilling or ready to set pipe and three more locations rigging up. A total of seven rigs are running. Sun Oil Company had one new well in the Sun field and two more with pipe set. Humble completed two producers in the Colorado field and had another waiting on cement, while a new outpost gasser was completed 1,900 feet northwest of production in the same area. Humble also had a new well in the Kelsey field with a second test waiting on cement. Royal Oil and Gas Company of Houston had another new producer at Sullivan City and a second well drilling.

Development Is Speeded

Development in the Rincon field was setting a new pace for oil field activity in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. The three producers were as follows:

Davis No. A-1 Dee Davenport, a new southwest extension, 1,320 feet west of production, Survey 944, gauged 275 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 450 pounds tubing working pressure and 550 pounds closed-in casing pressure through casing perforations (80 shots) at 3,770-9; feet, an important shallow sand for the area. Casing was set on bottom at 4,383 feet.

Davis No. A-2 Dee Davenport, Survey 944, spudded and was drilling past 1,000 feet.

The new wells were completed on the north edge of the producing area. Davis No. A-4 Slick Estate, Survey 231, gun-perforated casing at 4,192-4,205 feet with 40 shots and gauged 270 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 400 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in casing pressure. Casing was set on bottom at 4,333 feet.

Hole Is Bottomed

Davis No. A-5 Slick Estate, Survey 231, gauged 256 barrels daily on quarter-inch tubing choke through casing perforations (30 shots) at 4,192-4,210 feet with tubing working pressure of 700 pounds and closed-in casing pressure of 865 pounds. The hole was bottomed at 4,249 feet, where 7-inch casing was cemented.

Davis No. A-7 Slick Estate, Survey 231, another north edge well, recovered 720 feet of oil with 105 pounds pressure on 17-minute drill stem test of sand at 4,208-39 feet and cemented 7-inch o.d. oil string on bottom at 4,337 feet.

Davis No. A-8 Slick Estate, Survey 231, on the north edge of the field, was coring past 3,930 feet after it flowed oil and gas from sand at 3,626-47 feet on 17-minute drill stem test.

A new northern outpost, Davis No. A-9 Slick Estate, Survey 231, 660 feet north of all present production, spudded and was drilling past 1,000 feet.

Good Oil Show Made

On the west edge of the present producing area, Davis No. B-25 Slick Estate, Survey 266, made a good oil show on 17-minute drill stem test of sand at 3,788-95 feet and was making a similar test of the field's excellent 4,000-foot sand at 4,030-60 feet.

The field's new northeast outpost, Davis No. B-27 Slick Estate, Survey 232, 600 feet northeast of production, was making hole below 3,100 feet.

Locations have been staked for Davis No. A-10 Slick Estate in Survey 231 and for the Nos. B-28 Slick, B-29 Slick and B-30 Slick, all in Survey 266.

Considerable activity was also under way in the Sun field in northeastern Starr, where Humble Oil and Refining Company was testing a new sand in the north part of the field. Sun had another new well in the tanks was making production tests on two others and had two new wells spudding.

190 Barrels Gauged

Sun No. 7 Geo. H. Speer, Survey 238, an inside location, gauged 190 barrels daily on 7-16 inch tubing choke through casing perforations (55 shots) at 4,903-11 feet with 350 pounds tubing working pressure and 750 pounds closed-in casing pressure.

Sun No. B-2 Speer-State, Survey 236, on the west edge of the field, was ready for production test through casing perforations in sand at 4,642-51 feet, where drill stem test recovered 250 feet of oil. Casing had been cemented on bottom at 5,000 feet.

Another new inside well, Sun's No. 8-A, Olivares, Survey 239, had closed original casing perforations at 4,615-28 feet after the well made considerable gas and was re-perforating for another test.

Sun No. 9 Olivares, Survey 239, and No. 8 Geo. Speer, Survey 238, both inside locations, were spudding.

Two New Oilers Seen

In the northwest part of the field but south of outpost production, Humble No. 8 N. R. Montalvo, 467 feet out of the northeast corner of the north 492 acres of Survey 237, cored a new sand for the area at 4,130-37 feet and was running drill stem test.

Two new oilers and a northwest outpost gasser featured operations in the Colorado field in western Jim Hogg county.

Humble's No. 10 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, in the northeast part of the field, cored the field sand at 3,059-65 feet and cemented casing at 3,057 feet. The well gauged 212 barrels daily on 3-16 inch tubing choke with 200 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed in casing pressure.

In the same part of the field, Humble's No. 11 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, found the sand at 3,049-60 feet, bottomed the hole at 3,061 feet and cemented 5½-inch o.d. casing at 3,051 feet. On production test, the well made 241 barrels daily on 3-16 inch tubing choke with 50 pounds tubing working pressure and 600 pounds closed-in casing pressure.

Gas Production Proven

South of the recent completions and on the east edge of the field, Humble's No. 13 Atwood Heirs, in the northwest corner of Survey 36, cored the field sand at 3,081-88 feet, where the well was bottomed, and cemented 5½-inch o.d. casing at 3,078 feet for production test.

Gas production was proven at the northwestern extremity of the field, 1,900 feet beyond production, where Keith M. Huber et al's No. 1 F. G. Trevino, Survey 37, was completed as a small gasser in sand at 2,923-33 feet (corrected) after the well was bottomed at 2,954 feet. When the well came in, it made practically dry gas on quarter-inch tubing choke with 925 pounds tubing working pressure and 1,025 pounds closed-in casing pressure.

One new producer was completed in the Starr county extension of the Kelsey field and another new well was waiting on cement before making production test.

Humble No. 55 J. C. McGill, about 8,900 feet southeast of discovery, gauged 146 barrels daily on 9-64 inch tubing choke with 700 pounds tubing working pressure and 800 pounds closed-in casing pressure.

Well Is Completed

Humble's No. 54 J. C. McGill, also in Starr county and 7,700 feet southeast of the discovery well, cored the field sand at 4,710-23 feet and cemented 5½ inch o.d. oil string at 4,716 feet. Bottom of the hole was in shale at 4,725 feet.

In the Sullivan City field in western Hidalgo county, Royal Oil and Gas Company, A-2 V. G. Chapa, Tract 236, Portion 39, Reynosa Jurisdiction, was completed as an oil well, but details were not made available. Bottom of the hole was reported to be 4,121 feet, with 5½-inch o.d. casing cemented at that depth.

Royal also had spudded the No. B-1 V. G. Chapa, 330 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of the northwest 10 acres of Tract 239, Por. 40, Reynosa Jurisdiction.

WIDCATTING IN VALLEY HITS NEW PEAK OF INTEREST

McALLEN — Wildcatting in the Lower Rio Grande Valley oil area reached another interesting point Saturday as one of the section's deepest wells continued drilling and production tests were under way in three deep holes.

In southeastern Cameron county, Pure Oil Company No. 1 Garcia Land and Cattle Company, six miles south of Port Isabel, was drilling in shale around 9,800 feet. A gas show was reported in sand at 9,392-9,417 feet.

In central Hidalgo County, two more production tests had been completed in deep sands in Gulf States Oil Co. No. 2 Josefa Cardenas, Share 156, San Salvador del Tule Grant. Through casing perforations (20 shots) at 7,730-45 feet, the well made an estimated 3,800,000 cubic feet of dry gas daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with tubing working pressure of 3,000 pounds and casing working pressure of 3,350 oounds. Pressure rose to 3,-550 pounds with the well closed-in. A higher sand was also tested, the well making an estimated 3,500,000 cubic feet of dry gas, with neither distillate nor water, daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 2,675 pounds tubing working pressure and 3,000 pounds closed-in casing pressure. Operators squeezed all perforations and prepared to complete the well in the regular 7,900-foot sand in which the San Salvador field discovery was finaled.

Production Under Way

In northeastern Starr County, five miles north of the Sun field and two miles west of southernmost production in the Kelsey field, Sun Oil Company No. 1 Encarnacion Rodriguez, northwest part of Santa Teresa Grant, has settled down to steady production from a new deep sand. The well is making about 12 to 15 barrels of distillate and a little wash water daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke with 1,700 pounds closed-in casing pressure and 1,800 pounds tubing working pressure through casing perforations at 6,-420-27 feet. It is also making an estimated 600,000 cubic feet of gas daily.

Several miles west and a little south of the Sun field in central Starr, Sun No. 1 W. G. Lehr, Survey 513, was waiting on cement prior to production tests. The well was bottomed at 5,440 feet and 5 1-2-inch o. d. oil string was cemented at 4,430 feet. Sands reported around 4,400 and 4,100 feet were due to be tested.

One and a half miles south of the No. 1 Lehr, Sun No. 1 Claude King was ready to spud on a deep test in Survey 511.

Several miles southeast of the Barbacoas field in south central Starr, George R. Boyle et al's No. 1 E. B. Carruth et al, Share 1-B Poortions 91-92, Camargo Jurisdiction, was drilling past 3,100 feet on a 4,500-foot contract. Operators were looking for their first shows around 4,000 feet, it was understood.

Magnolia Petroleum Company was drilling around 5,000 feet on its No. 3 F. B. Guerra, near the center of Share 25-B. Santa Cruz Grant, in northeastern Starr. It is roughly half-way between the La Reforma distillate discovery well and the Magnolia No. 2 Guerra, another high-pressure gas-distillate well located in the southwest corner of Share 25-B.

CITRUS UNIT GETS CHECKS

Edinburg Averages $8.70 For Marsh

EDINBURG — Members of the Edinburg Citrus Association were made happy at their annual banquet this week at the Edinburg Hotel when they received final checks for their fruit, were rebated their revolving fund assessments for the 1935-36 season and heard that packing costs had been held to 42.25 cents per box in spite of a smaller volume handled because of the freeze.

Graham Killough, manager, reported that season averages on various types of fruit were as follows to members: Marsh Seedless $8.70 per ton, March pink $22.50, Foster pink $14, Valencia oranges $22.10, pineapple oranges $17, Hamlin oranges $23, naval oranges $27.20 The unit handled 404,000 packed boxes of fruit and 11,266 tons of juice fruit.

Growers are required to pay 10 cents a box into revolving reserve fund and members of the Edinburg association have now been rebated all assessments paid in for the first three seasons.

The association will hold its annual election of officers at a meeting to be held June 18. Dr. C. J. Hamme is president.

HOME FROM VISIT

LA FERIA—Mrs. W. T. Corre has returned after a visit of several weeks in Paducah, Ky., and Little Rock, Ark.

Loading Liferaft For U. S. Refuge Ship

This big life raft is being brought aboard the U. S. Liner President Roosevelt just before leaving New York for a trip to Galway, Ireland, to bring home American war refugees. Notice of the peaceful mission had been given to warring European nations.

Tri-County Breeding Unit Will Be Formed In Valley

Expansion Of Artificial Breeding Work Decided On At Harlingen Meet

HARLINGEN—Formation of a tri-county breeding association was decided upon at an enthusiastic meeting of Valley dairy and beef men here Friday night to expand the artificial breeding program now being conducted by the Cameron County Breeders Association.

The new Valley-wide organization would purchase the Jersey bull, Dairylike Lad Roy, from the Cameron county association and proceed with the artificial insemination practice now being carried on by the county group.

Purchase of another dairy bull to supplement the service from Dairylike Lad Roy, has been investigated and if there is sufficient demand, Milking Shorthorn, Hereford and Brahma bulls will be added.

Directors of the new Valley-wide organization from Hidalgo county were nominated. They were Jack Younkin of Edinburg, Jesse L. Prater of Edcouch and A. M. Thompson of Donna. Cameron county directors are J. C. Stuesser of Brownsville, R. M. King of Primera and M. B. Finley of San Benito. The Willacy county nominating committee deferred action.

Program Is Explained

J. W. Evans of Weslaco, district farm supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, explained the program and stated that of the 600 members necessary for successful conduct of the artificial breeding program, his organization would guarantee at least 300. The membership fee is $10 and many new members took out stock at the meeting here.

Evans said that several banks and chambers of commerce had been contacted and had indicated their willingness to underwrite the program.

Cities Back Project

M. B. Finley, an officer of the Cameron county Breeders Association, presided over the meeting at the Central Ward School.

Mayor Hugh Ramsey said that the City of Harlingen and civic bodies here would back the type program outlined. Managers Carl Blasig, L. F. Boling and Worth Heffner of the Mercedes, Donna and Harlingen chambers of commerce invited the new organization to select their city as headquarters.

Aircraft Ordered By Allied Buyers

NEW YORK —(AP)— The Anglo-French Purchasing Board said Friday that orders for $.00,000,000 of additional aircraft and equipment had been placed with American manufacturers in the last 10 days raising to $820,000,000 the value of aircraft and accessories ordered to date.

BIBLE CLASS MEETS

LOS FRESNOS—The Ladies Bible Class met at the Church of Christ Tuesday at which time the subject for discussion was "Jesus' Arrival in Galilee." The discussion of "Jesus Galilean Ministry" will be carried further at the next meeting on Tuesday, May 28.

NEW COLLEGE GROUP LISTED

51 Win Honor Rating At Edinburg

EDINBURG— Fifty-one students were listed on Edinburg Junior college's second semester honor roll Saturday by Miss Rigmore Leffland, registrar.

McAllen and Edinburg dominated the roll with 13 each. A total of 15 towns had honor roll students.

Listed were: Orin Anderson, Donna; Maria Barrera, Edinburg; Kenneth Beane, Edinburg; Gordon Bushey, Mission; Radie Culpepper, Edcouch; Marion Davis, Edinburg; Chesna Mae Dillinger, Edinburg; Lois Falk, Edinburg; Ralph Fitzgerald, Weslaco; Don Fleuriet, Donna; Jewel Folmar, Edinburg; Jane Carey Fristoe, McAllen; Frank Glendenning, McAllen; Edith Billman, Mission; Marjorie Bonner, Edinburg.

Ralph Guenther, Pharr, Homer Hart, Edinburg; Harvey Henderson, McAllen; Doris Hilton, McAllen; Bill Holmes, McAllen; Stuart Jackson, Rio Grande City; Marilou Jewett, Mission; Ella Mae Kammerer, Weslaco; Rubin Kappler, McAllen; Leonerd Larson, McAllen; Richard Lewis, Pharr; Ruth Linnard, McAllen; Mildred McHenry, Edinburg; Anna Moseson, Lyford; William Motsch, Pharr.

M. E. O'Neill, San Juan; Martha Peddicord, Weslaco; Vivian Peterson, McAllen; John Phillips, Pharr; Pauline Phillips, Pharr; Dorothy Reynolds, McAllen; Mary Robertson, Olden; Donald Ross, Edinburg; Robert Scott, Santa Rosa; Charles Settles, Mercedes; Blucher Smith, Edinburg; Nona Bess Smith, Edinburg; Nova Mae Smith, McAllen; Virgil Smith, McAllen.

Julia Solis, Mercedes; Lorraine Steffens, Pharr; Roger Stotler, Alamo; Mary Lou Thornton, McAllen; Lydia Trevino, Mercedes; Rovert Vaucher, Sharyland and Jean White, Edinburg.

GUESTS IN MISSION

MISSION—Mrs. Paul D. Hanna and sons, Paul Dean and James of Falfurrias are in Mission for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Gibbs and other old friends. They will be joined Tuesday by Rev. Hanna and the family will continue their visit for several days next week.

SURETY GROUP SELECTS HEAD

Harlingen Man Made President

McALLEN — Harry Johnson of Harlingen was re-elected president of the Valley Life Underwriter's Association during a luncheon held at the Casa de Palmas Hotel here Friday.

Other officers selected were Carl La Duke, Weslaco, vice president; George Allen, Harlingen, secretary and treasurer; O. E. Anglin, J. O. Harris, C. S. Johnson, Harlingen; Sam Weems, Weslaco and A. D. Leavell, McAllen, directors.

Committee appointments by Johnson were as follows:

Membership committee, George Ely, McAllen, chairman; Warren Davis, McAllen; Roy Conway, Mission; publicity committee, Mrs. Ruby Cox, Mrs. T. W. Mahone, McAllen; Mrs. Marie Grapperhaus, Harlingen.

I. A. Patton of McAllen spoke on "War Clauses in Life Insurance and How the War Might Influence Life Underwriting."

Talks Given

Two Michigan Cities Hear Woman

McALLEN—Mrs. Paul T. Vickers of McAllen, wife of the chamber of commerce manager, made two addresses in Michigan the past week on travel in the Rio Grande Valley and Mexico.

She spoke to the safety council and Rotary Club of Lansing, Mich., Friday noon and to a Methodist Church congregation at Detroit last Tuesday.

Mrs. Vickers also distributed a large amount of McAllen and Valley literature in the two cities, she wrote her husband. She said many persons told her they would come to the Valley next winter instead of going to Florida.

Bible School Will Open At McAllen

McALLEN — Beginning Monday and continuing for three weeks, Rev. John G. Elser, pastor of the McAllen Lutheran Church, will conduct a daily Bible school from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

The course will include Bible stories, Bible reading, church history, and memorizing of Bible passages and well known hymns. The course is free to children in the community of grammar school age.

Rev. Elser will assist Rev. E. Wolf of Harlingen in installing Rev. Martin Koehneke of Milwaukee, Wisc., as pastor of the Lutheran Church of Raymondville.

MERLE OBERON

Star of "Til We Meet Again" Showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli, San Benito.

La Feria Meet

Builders Of Airplane Models Convene

MERCEDES—The Valley Model Airplane Club will hold its second meet at La Feria Sunday at 7 a.m., Phillip Atteberry, sponsor and senior advisor announced Saturday.

Mercedes modelers taking part in this Valley-wide organization will be Gene Brown, Jack Green, Tomme Joe Lambertson, Eugene White and Phillip Atteberry.

Schedule of future meets include June 2, Raymondville; June 9, Mercedes; June 16, San Benito; June 23, Brownsville; June 30, McAllen; July 7, open; July 14, San Benito. On the last date a National Aeronautical Association meet will be held. Prizes are offered at each of these exhibitions. All model airplane enthusiasts are urged to attend.

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THAT Auto Tires, costing less than HALF AS MUCH as in 1910, now last TEN TIMES LONGER. However, let's not forget that they are on the car until the blow out and cause a serious accident.

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1. AUTOMOBILES

1a. Autos for Sale

1934 FORD DIESEL Truck: Bargain. Equipped with Hercules Diesel motor, two speed axle, 750 front and 825 dual rears. Cost $2200—only 16,000 miles, not a scratch—guaranteed perfect. Another same as above except 95 h.p. Ford engine. Cost $1250. Both for less than half price including finance charges. Also 2 round front Springfield trailers, 22-foot, 825 duals. Vacuum hydraulic brakes, perfect condition, cost $1400 each, also less than half price. Been put out of business by ICC, take up back payments and assume notes. No trades. H. A. Handy, Denton, Texas.

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1937 PONTIAC "8" TOURING SEDAN, radio, perfect condition and right $395
1937 PLYMOUTH DELUXE SEDAN, one that is extra clean throughout $395
1937 PLYMOUTH COUPE, same as new, original in every way $385
1936 PLYMOUTH SPECIAL DELUXE SEDAN, a 6 wheel job, one of the kind you hear about, but rarely see $345
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Portable Houses, 8x14 and 8x10.
36x50 Corrugated Iron Warehouse.
Folding House Trailer, not mounted.
Baled Alfalfa and Corn.
PHILLIPS
LUMBER YARD
San Benito, Texas

We specialize in the manufacture of TANKS Any size, for any purpose.

Valley Blacksmith & Welding Shop
314 W Adams Harlingen

10e. Radio Repairs, Equip.

RADIO SERVICE: Free inspection, satisfaction guaranteed. Phil Amsler, 2123 17th street, Victoria Heights, phone 178, Brownsville.

10. FOR SALE

10f. Lbr. & Bldg. Material

Master-Mix
House Paint
$2.88 In 5 Gal. Cans

Extension Ladders
24 Ft.
$10.25

Sears, Roebuck & Co.
Phone 935 Harlingen

10m Tools and Implements

A NEW PEASE, JR. electric blue print machine, size 24x36 inches. H. H. Whittaker, R.F.D. 1, Boca Chica road, Brownsville.

11. LIVESTOCK

11a. Dogs, Cats, Pets

BLACK AND WHITE pedigreed Cocker Spaniel puppies. Very reasonable. Southmost Plantation, telephone 6024-W-1, Brownsville.

11c. Poultry, Supplies

BABY CHICKS: Started chicks. All from blood-tested stock of high vitality. Only hatchery in the Valley with trap nest breeding farm. FISHER POULTRY FARM AND HATCHERY, Raymondville.

12. WANTED TO BUY

12a. Miscellaneous

WANTED: Good second hand Stock Saddle. Bob Hance, Box 704, Santa Maria.

ONE USED power hay press wanted. Write Post Office Box 312, La Feria, Texas.

12b. Let's Swap

HIGH QUALITY violin for typewriter or anything I can use. L. D. Garrard, Miller Hotel, Brownsville.

13. LOST & FOUND

LOST: Thursday morning. Well bred female Pekineze answering to name "Chin-Joy-U." REWARD. Call 915-J, or 1460, Harlingen.

LOST: Large truck tarpaulin on highway between Los Fresnos and Brownsville Port. Will give liberal reward to return or information leading to its recovery. Schmidt Canning Plant, phone 289, San Benito.

LOST: Year-old black Scottie terrier, named Tavish, in Mission Friday. Needs medical attention. Please phone Mission 283, collect. Reward.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

EAST SIDE DUPLEX, Clean, Cool, Modern, furnished. Clean, quiet part of town. Call at 1205 East Monroe or at Irrigation Office, 209 West Jackson, Harlingen.

FOR RENT: Downstairs east apartment. Furnished. 1206 E. Van Buren. Harlingen. Bruce Ramsey, phone 6007-F-4.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED apartments, houses Desirable bedrooms Listings appreciated Mrs J L. Swann, phone 1169-W Harlingen.

FOR RENT: Apartment. Close in, furnished. Innerspring mattress. 109 North 10th, Harlingen. C. R. Steward.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, first floor. Reasonable. Close in. Telephone 578, 422 Southeast Levee, Brownsville.

STAR APARTMENT — Two and Three Rooms. Very cool. Good Condition Bills paid 318 East Polk.

QUIET AND NICE: Four large furnished room apartment. Garage. Summer rates. 515 Illinois ave., Weslaco.

SAN BENITO FURNISHED apartments. All bills paid, including electric refrigeration. $20.00. Telephone 744, Valencia, Apartments.

FURNISHED SOUTHEAST apartment in duplex. Electrical refrigeration. Garage. 1151 West Levee, phone 1611-W, Brownsville.

COOL, FIVE-ROOM apartment, unusually well furnished. Utilities paid. Screened porch. One small apartment. Call 964, Brownsville.

FURNISHED GARAGE apartment, good location. Electrical refrigeration. Exceptionally cool and clean. Water paid. Telephone 1615-J, Brownsville.

TERMINAL APARTMENTS: Cool furnished, reasonable rent. Electrical refrigeration. Utilities paid. Telephone 1126, Brownsville.

SWEENY APARTMENTS: Cool, furnished, electrical refrigeration. Rates extra moderate. Garage. Close in. First and Adams, Brownsville.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

HALL APARTMENTS: Furnished apartments, 521 E. Tyler, Harlingen.

NEWLY DECORATED, furnished, 4 - room southeast apartment, Frigidaire, and garage. 233 Southeast St. Charles St., Brownsville.

NICELY FURNISHED apartment in Alonso, corner Sixth and Levee. Telephone 734, Mrs. Egbert, 934 St. Charles, Brownsville.

NICELY FURNISHED apartments, close in, $18 to $50. Utilities paid. Nel-Roy Apartments, phone 642, Brownsville.

FOUR - ROOM nicely furnished apartment with Frigidaire. Apply to Mrs. Delaney at 1437 Garfield, Brownsville.

GLENWOOD APARTMENTS: Block from post office. Nicely furnished, utilities paid. Rates moderate. Telephone 1512, Brownsville.

TWO-ROOM nicely furnished apartment, electrical refrigeration, utility bills paid. Close in. 1047 Madison street, Brownsville.

Desirable Apartment
Three or four rooms, available June 1. 33 Elizabeth St.
Apply Panama Apartments
357 W. Levee or Liddell Furniture, Brownsville

14b. Rooms

DESIRABLE ROOM, strictly modern, private entrance. Garage. Special privileges. 132 West Levee, telephone 883, Brownsville.

14c. Houses

SEVEN ROOM BRICK home. Beautifully furnished Tile floored, kitchen, three porches and bath. Lovely yard. 321 West Fillmore, phone 1040, Harlingen

PERMANENT, MODERN 7-rooms; electricity, Butane gas hot water system, and modern bath; city water; garage; nice lawn. All in first-class condition. Now ready for new tenant. Boca Chica highway and Central avenue, near Airport. Apply on premises. O. A. Pechstein, Route 1, Box 45, Brownsville.

MODERN, WELL furnished, stucco house; screened and curtained sleeping porch, hot water heater. Telephone 964, Brownsville.

SIX-ROOM furnished house at 512 West St. Charles. Apply 524 West St. Charles, telephone 1050, Brownsville.

TOURIST SEASON is just around the corner. Rent the home you want to live in the rest of the year now. We have attractive homes furnished and unfurnished, available immediately. Phone or call Mrs. G. S. Tarley, Clayton Pritchard Real Estate, Phone 558, Harlingen.

14d. Room and Board

SPECIAL LUNCH 25c drink included. Johnson's Air-Conditioned Cafe. 210 W Jackson Harlingen

15. WANTED TO RENT

WANT TO RENT 5-acre farm with house near Brownsville, with option to buy. Write Box 42, Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

FOR SALE: My home on Rio Hondo road. Call 1005 or 461 for information and details. Mrs. Paul R. Maxwell, Harlingen.

ESTATE TO SETTLE five room house, 522 West Buchanan. Sell or trade for Fort Worth Property.

NICE SIX-ROOM home, garage, large yard, shrubbery. Easy terms, 1110 East Madison, Harlingen, call 279-J or 1121.

MODERN FIVE-ROOM HOUSE and bath on hard surfaced road 1½ miles from Weslaco, Mile 6x4½. Half acre of land, improvements included. With or without orchard. C. H. Cotton, owner—any day except Saturdays.

COUNTRY HOME, cheap, easy terms. Good 6-room modern house, 3 acres bearing orchard, 13 acres wonderful land, all in crop. Located on paved road one mile north San Juan. Priced for cash, $2,500 or $2,700 on easy terms. C. M. Flinn, 213 North Main, McAllen, Texas. Phone 89.

GENERAL INSURANCE
THOS. R. JOSEPH
FHA LOANS—REAL ESTATE
Embee Bldg. Harlingen
Phone 534 or 845

HAVE PROSPECT FOR SEVERAL MODERN HOUSES AT BARGAIN PRICES
Would appreciate your listings.
LEE B. JAMES
Travelers Hotel Phone 960 or 1478 Brownsville

BARGAIN THIS WEEK ONLY
For $2225.00, with good terms you may have a $5570 Stucco Duplex, 3 big rooms, bath, each side, 2-car garage, good location. Furnished and renting for $43.00 monthly. Payments $25.45. Live yourself on one side free while other side pays for property.

One acre, 4-room house, garage. Water, lights, gas; on pavement. Close in. Just $1750.00 on easy terms.

Two acres, 3-bedroom house, garage with workshop, chicken house, fronting 261 feet on highway or 5 city lots. Lots worth $2000.00 besides acreage. Own this home and acre of ground for $2500. Water, lights, gas, pavement. Suitable for store, filling station or tourist court and have a home for yourself.

SEE TOM B. BOWMAN
Real Estate Agent
Gilbert House Harlingen
At office Sunday afternoon and all week.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

TO BUYERS
—With Cash or a Good Credit Rating—

We are in a position to offer homes or suburban properties under a plan of liquidation that merits the consideration of the prospective home buyer or real estate investor. These offerings consist of most every type of home and income property, located in or near the following Valley towns:

BROWNSVILLE	SAN BENITO
HARLINGEN	McALLEN
PHARR	DONNA
EDINBURG	ALAMO
MERCEDES	LA FERIA

PENRY & POWERS, Realtors
112 So. 1st St.
Harlingen, Texas
Phone 455—466

Choice Building Sites

65, 60 and 100 ft. lots in Cathay Courts. No city tax. All utilities. IRRIGATION. Curbed and gravelled streets. Fruit trees. Restricted. High loan value, 8 houses now building.

1 acre, 100 by 400, North 10th St.—$4000. Gas, electric lights, telephone, concrete canal. Good 6 per cent insurance loan available.

Half-acre tracts in bearing trees on South McAllen-Pharr Hiway. All utilities, irrigation, concrete road. One block Pharr grade school. F.H.A. and insurance loans available.

1-acre and 2-acre tracts north of McAllen (Cascade) Swimming Pool. Insurance loans available.

See SCOTT FORD — Square Deal Laundry
McAllen

16b. Lots for Sale

Money Talks

$1000.00 buys one of the most beautiful building sites inside Brownsville city limits. High terraced ground, nice fruit trees and all public utilities except sewage. 91 feet of frontage on pavement and 299.4 feet in depth.

$2250.00 buys nice 5-room frame home with screened back porch and garage. Located near Fitz Ward School and near High School and Junior College. $450.00 cash balance $18.90 per month including principal and interest.

$2350.00 buys large 5-room frame house with front porch, screened back porch and double garage. Close in and on pavement. $600.00 cash, balance $20.90 per month including principal and interest.

S. C. GRAHAM
and COMPANY
REALTORS
Phone 179 Marine Arcade Bld Brownsville

ONLY THREE EXCLUSIVE HOME SITES

Two and half acres each, near Harlingen, on pavement, 5 homes surrounding, cost $5,000 to $10,000 each. Beautiful palms on front, at prices little more than a city lot.

Twelve acres, one mile city limits, old 5-room home; beautiful palms and shade trees on pavement. $2750.

Hundred and fifty acres, two sets improvements, east Harlingen, just off pavement, all in cultivation, $40 per acre.

Five-room modern home, close in East Jackson St., $2250.00. Good terms, or might take some trade, lots or small acreage.

HERREN REALTY CO.
Phone 388 Commerce Bldg. Harlingen

16c. Farms, Ranches

FOR SALE
Ranches, Dry Land Farms
Irrigated Farms
Lake Front Homesites
LLOYD PARKER
OLMITO, TEXAS

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

An improved 5-acre tract on the pavement. A good buy.

Hotel furniture and long time lease. Income from Bus Station included.

A small investment for a paying business.

W. B. SHAW
118 South First Harlingen

The Greatest Lessons In Life

Are learned by actual experiences. After it's done, good or bad, you can see the result. From our experiences here in the real estate business, buying and selling, we have the results of many peoples' efforts and investments by seeing the effects from actual experience. We feel that we can wisely help to steer you in the right way.

13 acres all in high state of cultivation with a good 6-room home, good location, good soil. We think a real bargain for only $2500.00. The house alone cost more than $4000.00. You are passing up a bet in that 80 acre tract near Rio Hondo we have for sale at only $40.00 per acre. Irrigated land with good 6-room house and 4 acres in bearing grove. It's a steal.

5 acres on Main Highway between Harlingen and McAllen, small house and grove. Only $1600.00 for all.

20 acres all in bearing grove. Pinks, Red Blush and Oranges. A real steal. See for yourself. Only $225.00 per acre.

5 acres close in, ideal for F.H.A. home site, near schools, paved street. All for $750.00.

5 acres close in with good 5-room modern home, paved road. Only 2 blocks from school.

Don't be afraid of the war. Keep plugging. That's the least expected of all of us.

Call 139.

Willingham Realty
Harlingen, Texas

16e. For Sale or Trade

NIGHT CLUB in Kerrville. 8½ acres on paved road and river. Joining city limits. Rock building 100x100, oak floor, furnished. Framed residence. City conveniences. Big live oak trees. John Furman, Kerrville.

16e. For Sale or Trade

EIGHTEEN ACRES near Harlingen for property in or near Brownsville or Port Isabel. L. D. Garrard, Miller Hotel, Brownsville.

16g. Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO BUY or rent from owner: House on highway between Harlingen and Mercedes. Box B-158, Star, Harlingen.

16i. Land for Trade

TWENTY ACRES near Mercedes to trade for property near Harlingen. Automobile or good tractor. V. Mason, 1501 South First, Harlingen.

17. NOTICES

17a. Announcements

AMERICAN CLEANERS
New Address
212 E Van Buren Phone 830
Across from the Post Office

17d Professional Notices

DR. D. C. ROUGEOU
DENTIST
209-210 Baxter Bldg.
HARLINGEN, TEXAS
Telephone- Harlingen 1467

17e. Travel Opportunities

WANTED RIDE to Kansas City by Monday; pay part expense and help with driving. References exchanged. Phone 6011-F3, San Benito.

Room for two passengers to Abilene Via Ft. Worth May 31, M. G. Ellis, first house north Stuart School, Box 298, Harlingen.

GOING TO DALLAS Tuesday or Wednesday. Can take two passengers. Telephone 1063-J, Harlingen.

WANT TWO share-expense passengers to Chicago or Michigan. New Chrysler. References exchanged. Call 6016-F-3, Donna.

McALLEN REYNOSA BUS LINE

McALLEN to REYNOSA

8:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
10:00 A.M.	4:00 P.M.
12:00 A.M.	6:00 P.M.
	8:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:00 P.M.

REYNOSA to McALLEN

7:50 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
9:00 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
11:00 A.M.	5.00 P.M.
	7:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:30 P.M.

17f. Cafe and Hotels

WHITE KITCHEN
419 Twelfth Street
BUSINESS LUNCHES
Private dining room. Serving the Valley for over ten years
BROWNSVILLE

17h. Political Announcements

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading are published the names of candidates for public office. The fees for this service can be obtained at the Brownsville Herald office.

Names of candidates will be carried in the announcement column until the July Primary.

Valley Sunday Star-Monitor-Herald is authorized to make the following announcements of candidates subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July:

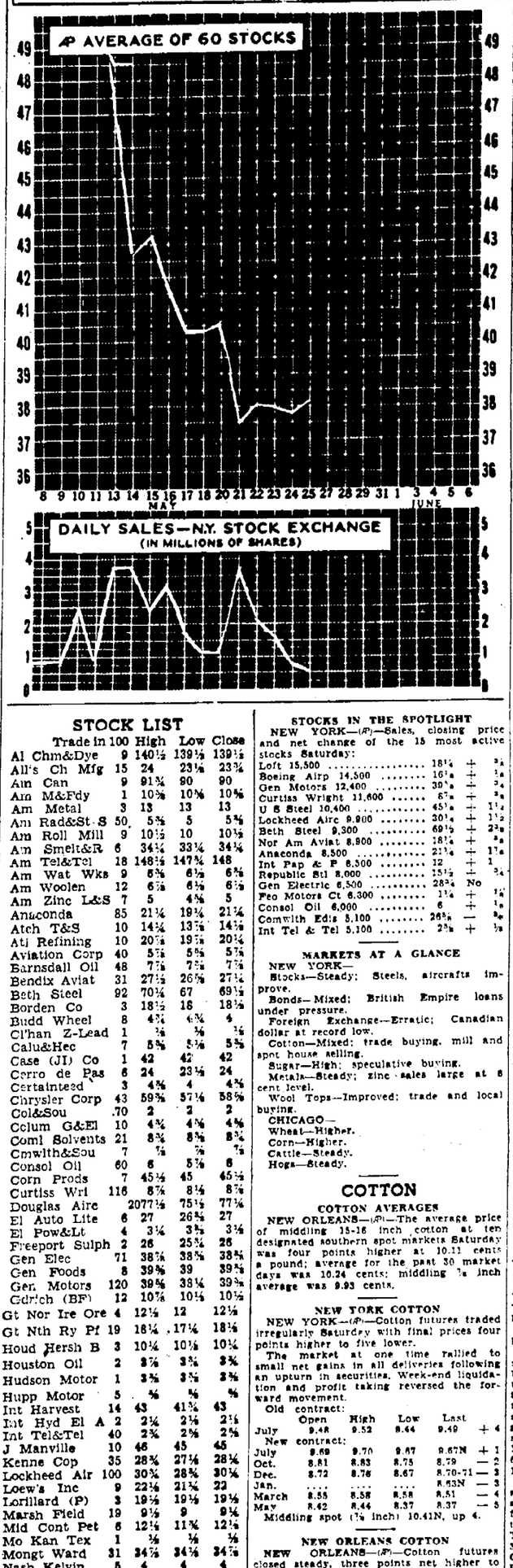
For District Attorney:
ROY A. SCOTT, Corpus Christi
W. B. WEAVER, Corpus Christi.

For Sheriff:
WILL CABLER, Brownsville.

NEW YORK CURB

Am Cyan B	31	28¾	31
Am Gas & El	27	26⅝	27
Ark Nat aGs A	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Bath Iron Wks	11½	10¼	11¼
Bell Aire	17⅞	17	17⅞
Bellanca Aire	4½	4½	4½
Brewst Aire	10¼	9¾	10¼
Bridgpt Mach	1½	1½	1½
Cities Service	5	4⅞	5
Crocker-Wh Elm	3⅝	3⅜	3⅝
Eagle Pich	7⅛	6⅞	7⅛
El Bond & Sh	4	3⅞	4
Gulf Oil	28	27½	27½
Humble Oil	50½	49¾	55
Lone Star Gas	7¾	7¾	7¾
Nlag Hud Pow	3¼	3⅜	3⅜
Okla Nat Gas	15	13¾	15
Unit aGs	1⅛	1	1

DAY'S NEWS OF NATION'S MARKETS



MART GLOOM LIFTS SOME DURING DAY

Stocks Step Out Of Downside Week

NEW YORK—(AP)—War gloom lifted a trifle in the stock market Saturday, without especial news to account for it, and leading issues stepped out of a generally disappointing week with a fair-sized rally.

Steels, aircrafts and coppers came to the fore for gains running to three or more points after a sluggish first hour. Top gains were reduced in most cases at the close.

Average Shows Gain

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks held a net advance of .3 of a point at 38.1 but for the week showed a net loss of 2.3 points. It was the fourth consecutive week's decline in this composite. Saturday the barometer was .4 of a point above its two year low established Tuesday. The 1940 high was 52.2.

Transfers for the two hours amounted to 554,330 shares compared with 1,663,270 last Saturday when quotations were toppling. The week's volume of some 10,000,000 shares contrasted with about 17,000,000 the week before.

Among prominent share gainers were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Douglas Aircraft, United Aircraft, Glenn Martin, Sperry, Lockheed, Anaconda, Kennecott, Du Pont and Sears Roebuck.

Motors lagged most of the time, but finished on the upside. Rails were ahead small amounts, as were rubbers and utilities.

Losers up to a point or so included Dow Chemical, Union Carbide, Johns-Manville, Eastman Kodak and Standard Oil of N. J.

Gainers of fractions to more than two points in the curb were American Cyanamid "B," American Gas, Jones and Laughlin, Bell Aircraft and Brewster Aero. The turnover here was around 101,000 shares against 287,000 a week ago.

Bonds were irregularly better. Commodities recovered with stocks.

STOCK LIST

	Trade in 100	High	Low	Close
Al Chm&Dye	9	140½	139½	139½
All's Ch Mfg	15	24	23⅛	23¾
Am Can	9	91¾	90	90
Am M&Fdy	1	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Am Metal	3	13	13	13
Am Rad&St S	50	5⅜	5	5⅜
Am Roll Mill	9	10½	10	10½
Am Smelt&R	6	34¼	33¼	34¼
Am Tel&Tel	18	148¾	147¾	148
Am Wat Wks	9	6⅝	6½	6⅝
Am Woolen	12	6⅝	6½	6½
Am Zinc L&S	7	5	4⅝	5
Anaconda	85	21¼	19¾	21¼
Atch T&S	10	14¾	13⅞	14⅜
Atl Refining	10	20⅝	19⅝	20¼
Aviation Corp	40	5⅞	5⅝	5⅞
Barnsdall Oil	48	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞
Bendix Aviat	31	27½	26⅝	27¼
Beth Steel	92	70¼	67	69½
Borden Co	3	18½	16	18¼
Budd Wheel	8	4¾	4¾	4
Ch'han Z-Lead	1	⅜	⅜	⅜
Calu&Hec	7	5⅝	5⅛	5⅜
Case (JI) Co	1	42	42	42
Cerro de Pas	6	24	23½	24
Certainteed	3	4⅜	4	4⅜
Chrysler Corp	43	59⅜	57⅛	58⅝
Col&Sou	70	2	2	2
Colum G&El	10	4¾	4⅜	4⅝
Coml Solvents	21	8¾	8⅝	8¾
Cmwlth&Sou	7	⅞	⅞	⅞
Consol Oil	60	6	5⅞	6
Corn Prods	7	45½	45	45½
Curtiss Wri	116	8⅞	8½	8⅞
Douglas Aire	2	207½	75½	77¼
El Auto Lite	6	27	26¾	27
El Pow&Lt	4	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
Freeport Sulph	2	26	25⅝	26
Gen Elec	71	38⅞	38⅝	38⅝
Gen Foods	8	39⅝	39	39⅝
Gen Motors	120	39⅝	38¼	39⅜
Gdrich (BF)	12	10⅞	10½	10⅝
Gt Nor Ire Ore	4	12½	12	12½
Gt Nth Ry Pf	19	18¼	17¼	18⅛
Houd Hersh B	3	10¼	10⅛	10¼
Houston Oil	2	3⅞	3⅝	3⅝
Hudson Motor	1	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Hupp Motor	5	⅝	⅝	⅝
Int Harvest	14	43	41⅝	43
Int Hyd El A	2	2¼	2⅛	2⅛
Int Tel&Tel	40	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
J Manville	10	46	45	45
Kenne Cop	35	28⅜	27¼	28¼
Lockheed Air	100	30¾	28⅝	30⅛
Loew's Inc	9	22⅛	21¾	22
Lorillard (P)	3	19½	19½	19½
Marsh Field	19	9½	9	9¼
Mid Cont Pet	6	12¼	11¾	12⅛
Mo Kan Tex	1	⅜	⅜	⅜
Mongt Ward	31	34⅞	34¼	34⅞
Nash Kelvin	5	4	4	4
Nat Biscuit	2	18⅞	18¾	18¾
Nat Dairy Pr	16	13¾	13	13½
Nat Distillers	3	18¼	18¼	18⅛
Nta Pow&Lt	9	6	5⅞	6
N Y Cen RR	46	10⅝	9¾	10⅜
North Am Co	24	16½	15⅝	16⅜
Northern Pac	12	5⅜	5⅛	5¼
Ohio Oil	18	6¾	6	6¼
Pac Gas&El	5	26½	26¼	26½
Packard Mot	30	2⅞	2⅝	2⅝
Pan Am Air	23	13⅝	13	13¼
Phlndle P&R	1	⅝	⅝	⅝
Penney (JC)	6	76	74¾	75
Penn RR	41	17¼	16½	17¼
Petrol Corp	3	6½	6½	6½
Phelps Dodge	22	29⅞	27	29⅞
Phillips Pet	15	29	28¾	28¾
Plymouth Oil	4	16¼	16	16¼
Pub Svc NJ	6	33½	32¾	33½
Pullman	4	18¾	18¼	18½
Pure Oil	31	7¾	7	7¼
R C A	38	4⅝	4¼	4⅝
Reming Rand	1	6¼	6¼	6¼
Repub Steel	85	15¾	14⅝	15½
Seaboard Oil	1	13	13	13
Sears Roeb	12	64½	62½	64½
Servel Inc	3	9¾	9¼	9¾
Simmons Co	6	13¼	12⅞	13¼
Socony Vac	50	8¼	8	8¼
Southern Pac	19	7¾	7⅝	7¾
Southern Ry	10	9½	9	9½
Stand Brands	15	5⅜	5¼	5⅜
Stand Oil Cal	11	19¼	18⅝	19
Stand Oil Ind	49	21⅞	20¼	20¾
Stand Oil NJ	42	32½	31⅝	31⅝
Stew Warn	1	4¾	4¾	4¾
Studebaker	40	6⅝	6	6¼
Texas Corp	46	34½	33	34⅛
Tex Gulf Prod	3	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Tex Gulf Slph	3	29	27⅝	29
Tex Pac C&O	4	6	5⅝	6
Tex Pac L Trst	4	4½	4	4½
Tid Wat A Oil	6	9¼	9	9⅛
Trns&Wst Air	15	14	13½	14
Un Carbide	17	64	62⅝	64
Un Oil Cal	5	12¼	12	12
United Aire	42	43⅝	41⅜	43
United Drug	2	4½	4½	4½
Un Gas Imp	12	10⅞	10⅜	10⅜
US Rubber	29	17½	16⅝	17⅜
U S Steel	118	45½	43½	45⅛
Walgreen Co	2	18	17½	18
West Un Tel	11	15⅝	14⅞	15⅝
West El&Mfg	12	84¼	82½	83
White Motor	4	8½	8	8¼
Wilson&Co	20	4¼	3⅞	4⅛
Woolw (FW)	4	31⅞	31⅝	31⅞

CHICAGO BUTTER, EGGS

CHICAGO—(AP)—Butter 911,006; steady; creamery—89 score, 24¾; 88, 24¼; other prices unchanged.

Eggs 39,250; steady; current receipts 14; dirties 13¾; checks 12½; other prices unchanged.

STOCKS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

NEW YORK—(AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the 15 most active stocks Saturday:

Loft 15,500	18¼	+	¾
Boeing Airp 14,500	16⅛	+	⅛
Gen Motors 12,400	39⅝	+	¾
Curtiss Wright 11,600	6⅞	+	⅛
U S Steel 10,400	45⅛	+	1⅛
Lockheed Aire 9,900	30¼	+	1½
Beth Steel 9,300	69½	+	2⅜
Nor Am Aviat 8,900	18¼	+	⅜
Anaconda 8,500	21¼	+	1⅛
Int Pap & P 8,500	12	+	1
Republic Stl 8,000	15½	—	¾
Gen Electric 6,500	28¾	No	ch
Peo Motors Ct 6,300	1¼	+	⅛
Consol Oil 6,000	6	+	⅛
Comwith Edis 5,100	26⅝	—	⅛
Int Tel & Tel 5,100	2⅝	+	⅛

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK—
Stocks—Steady; Steels, aircrafts improve.
Bonds—Mixed; British Empire loans under pressure.
Foreign Exchange—Erratic; Canadian dollar at record low.
Cotton—Mixed; trade buying, mill and spot house selling.
Sugar—High; speculative buying.
Metals—Steady; zinc sales large at 6 cent level.
Wool Tops—Improved; trade and local buying.
CHICAGO—
Wheat—Higher.
Corn—Higher.
Cattle—Steady.
Hogs—Steady.

COTTON

COTTON AVERAGES

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16 inch cotton at ten designated southern spot markets Saturday was four points higher at 10.11 cents a pound; average for the past 30 market days was 10.24 cents; middling ⅞ inch average was 9.93 cents.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures traded irregularly Saturday with final prices four points higher to five lower.

The market at one time rallied to small net gains in all deliveries following an upturn in securities. Week-end liquidation and profit taking reversed the forward movement.

Old contract:

	Open	High	Low	Last	
July	9.48	9.52	9.44	9.49	+ 4

New contract:

July	9.69	9.70	9.67	9.67N	+ 1
Oct.	8.81	8.83	8.75	8.79	— 2
Dec.	8.72	8.76	8.67	8.70-71	— 3
Jan.	....	....	....	8.63N	— 3
March	8.55	8.58	8.58	8.51	— 4
May	8.42	8.44	8.37	8.37	— 5

Middling spot (⅞ inch) 10.41N, up 4.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady, three points net higher to two lower.

	Open	High	Low	Close	
July	9.50	9.64	9.57	9.62	+ 3
Oct.	8.85	8.86	8.78	8.83	— 2
Dec.	8.76	8.77	8.74	8.74	— 2
Jan.	8.71	8.72	8.71	8.56B	..
March	8.57	8.57	8.57	8.55B	..
May	8.45	8.45	8.45	8.42B	..

N. O. COTTONSEED OIL

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Bleachable prime summer yellow 5.90N; prime crude nominal. July 5.70B; September 5.74B; October 5.75B; December 5.83.

N. O. SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Spot cotton closed quiet, two points higher. Sales 106. Low middling 9.32; middling 10.32; good middling 10.77. Receipts 2,288; stock 650,473.

LIVESTOCK

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle, salable 150; calves, salable 200; week's tops: Slaughter steers 10.25, yearlings 10.15, grass steers 7.75, cows 6.50, bulls 5.50, fat calves 9.50 and stocker calves 10.75. Bulk prices: Medium to good steers 7.25-9.00, good to choice yearlings 8.50-10.00, beef cows 5.50-6.50, bulls 4.50-5.50; medium to good fat calves 8.00-9.00; stocker steer calves 8.00-10.50 and stock heifer calves 8.00-8.50; stocker yearlings 9.00 down.

Hogs, salable 300; good and choice 175-275 lb 5.30-40; packing sows 4.25-50.

Sheep, salable 500; total 700; bulk spring lambs 8.50-9.50; top 9.85; bulk medium to good clipped lambs 6.75-7.75, top 8.00; 2-year-old wethers 4.50-5.00; aged wethers 3.00-25; ewes 3.00 down; spring feeder lambs 8.00-6.00; clipped feeder lambs 5.00-50.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Salable hogs 200; small lots 250 lbs butchers fully steady at 5.65.

Salable cattle 300; calves none; compared Friday last week: After selling measurably lower early in week, fed steers and yearlings closed steady with week earlier; closing market under pressure, however, uncovering a slight dip from week's high time; heifers steady to 25 lower.

Cows steady; bulls weak; vealers 25-50 lower; stockers and feeders closed steady to 25 higher; extreme top strictly choice fed steers 11.65; best long yearlings 11.40; light mixed yearlings 11.00; heifer yearlings 10.50; very liberal supply fed steers sold at 9.75-10.50.

Salable sheep none; total 2,000; compared Friday last week: Very few strictly choice lambs offered, all slaughter lambs around steady, fat sheep weak to 25 lower; fed wooled lambs supply dwindling, mostly lower grades; fat sheep very scarce; best handyweight clipped lambs early 9.65, closed 9.40, bulk 9.25-9.50, medium to good kinds 8.50-9.00, outs 7.50-8.00; bulk woolskins 9.75-10.00; best native springers 13.00, bulk 11.00-11.75; fat native ewes 3.00-3.50.

GRAIN

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
July	83¼-⅜	85	83½	84⅞-⅝
Sept.	83½-¾	84⅞	83¼	84¾-⅞
Dec.	84⅜	85⅝	84	85⅝-⅞
CORN—				
July	62⅜-½	63¼	62¼	63

Screen Calendar NEWS OF LATEST MOTION PICTURES Advance Films

Alice Faye Will Play Famed Lillian Russell

The Life And Loves Of Celebrated Stage Beauty Are Pictured In Spectacular Screen Musical At Arcadia

ALICE FAYE portrays the first and greatest of America's glamour girls in the screen production of "Lillian Russell," with Don Ameche and Henry Fonda in featured supporting roles.

The colorful life and loves of the striking American beauty are revived in all their splendor and magnificence with the sparkling, dashing days of America's most fabulous era as a background.

Lillian Russell was famous for her marvelous voice as well as her splendid acting and great beauty, and Alice Faye sings many of the songs Lillian popularized. Among these are "After The Ball Is Over," "Rosie, You Are My Posie," "My Evening Star," "The Band played On" ("Strawberry Blond") and many others.

Don Ameche has the role of Lillian's composer-husband, who struggled to author her greatest stage success. It is Ameche's third composer role and his acting again is outstanding as it was in "Alexander's Ragtime Band" and "Swanee River."

Henry Fonda is cast as Alexander Moore, the newspaperman who fell in love with the gorgeous Lillian when they were both young, but failed to tell her about it. Other featured players include Edward Arnold as Diamond Jim Brady, Warren William and Leo Carillo. "Lillian Russell," is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.

JACK BENNY'S NEW FILM IS COMEDY HIT

THE STORY of Jack Benny's letest starring picture "Buck Benny Rides Again," is just a peg on which to hang the hilarious and romantic antics of Benny and his numerous supporting players including Ellen Drew, Phil Harris, Andy Devine, Virginia Dale and Eddie "Rochester" Anderson.

Benny, radio top-notcher as he is, can't get anywhere in the affections of Ellen Drew because she has been told to watch out for city slickers and to stick to the western cowboy for romance. The rest of it is that Jack turns western cowboy trying to make that big impression on Ellen.

With Benny being funnier than he has ever been in films, "Buck Benny Rides Again" is completely slap-happy, right up to its ending and through the couple of brief appearances of Carmichael, the polar bear, making his screen debut in the picture.

"Buck Benny Rides Again" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

STAR TRIO SEEN IN 'TILL WE MEET AGAIN'

GEORGE BRENT, Merle Oberon and Pat O'Brien share co-starring honors in the screen's romantic drama " 'Til We Meet Again," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and at the State Theatre in Mercedes Thursday and Friday.

The setting for the film is a luxurious liner travelling from Hong Kong to San Francisco, and there is action, drama, romance and comedy all along the way. Miss Oberon and Brent carry their romantic interest, as the pair of romantic lovers who know that when the trip is over they will never meet again. She is under sentence of death from a heart ailment; he knows that when the ship docks at San Francisco he will be taken to San Quentin to pay the death penalty for murder. Each tries to spare the other the knowledge of their fate, and to cram into the brief time they have together all the love of a normal lifetime.

O'Brien's romantic interest in the film centers around Binnie Barnes, that lovely blonde queen of comedy, who plays the role of a phoney French countess, fourflushing her way across the Pacific.

Geraldine Fitzgerald plays the role of Miss Oberon's friend and confidante, and Frank McHugh, Eric Blore, Regis Toomey, Henry O'Neill are also featured.

'DR. KILDARE'S STRANGE CASE' AT PALACE

THE LATEST "Dr. Kildare" film with Lew Ayres and Lionel Barrymore once more portraying the intern, Dr. Jimmy Kildare, and the great diagnostician, Dr. Leonard Gillespie is replete with dramatic surprises and thrills in a hospital's surgery room.

Under the title, "Dr. Kildare's Strange Case" the story revolves about the efforts of Ayres to help a surgeon friend, accused of having performed a bungled operation. Dramatic moments such as a bird's-eye view of a delicate brain operation, plus the scientific handling of a mad-man in the convulsions of delirium, plus humorous moments such as when Nat Pendleton tries to figure out how he can take Marie Blake on a fifty-dollar date.

Larraine Day is charming as Nurse Mary Lamont who loves and hopes to marry Ayres. Samuel S. Hinds and Emma Dunn as Ayres' parents, Alma Kruger as the superintendent of nurses, and Walter Kingsford as head of the hospital enact roles they have played in previous Kildare films.

"Dr. Kildare's Strange Case" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

DOROTHY LAMOUR IN SOUTH SEAS ROMANCE

DOROTHY LAMOUR appears as a sun-tanned, sarong-clad island beauty in the Technicolor adventure romance "Typhoon," scheduled for current Sunday and Monday at the State Theatre in Mercedes; Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Friday and Saturday.

Miss Lamour's newest role since "Road to Singapore" places her on an uninhabited Polynesian island, far from the sea lanes, where she has grown to womanhood after being shipwrecked as a little girl. Robert Preston, Lynne Overman and J. Carrol Naish are co-featured with Dotty in top roles.

The awe-inspiring spectacle of tropical fury is reported on a par with, if not greater than, the effects achieved for the earthquake in "San Francisco." Torrential rails are followed by a gale which uproots whole palm trees. No expense was spared to squeeze every bit of thrill from the fury.

Lionel Barrymore and Laraine Day co-starred with Lew Ayres in "Dr. Kildare's Strange Case," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

RADIO SPEECH TO BE HEARD

President's Broadcast At Theatres

Of vital importance to every man, woman and child who is an American or who lives in the Western Hemisphere is the speech that President Roosevelt will deliver to the nation on his international broadcast Sunday night at 8:30 p. m.

Advance reports explain that it will be devoted to the recent rearmament and defense bill that passed through Congress this week with an explanation of what is being done and what will be done to keep America the greatest stronghold of Democracy and freedom that our forebears who fought for it intended it to be.

All Interstate Theatres in the Valley are being equipped with facilities to broadcast this vital message to audiences who either do not possess a radio or who prefer to listen to the President's speech in the cool, comfort of the theatre.

FLAG SPEAKS IS SCHEDULED

An Impressive short subject is John Nesbitt's "The Flag Speaks" booked as a special program feature at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Sunday and Monday and at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Filmed in color the subject opens with superimposed scenes of the bigness of America with its hundreds of different religious faiths, its widely diversified peoples, the point is made early in the subject that every man, woman and child, regardless of position, religion, or color stand unified in reverence and respect for Old Glory.

Alice Faye, Don Ameche and Henry Fonda in the spectacular screen musical "Lillian Russell," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.

Pat O'Brien, Merle Oberon and George Brent in "Til We Meet Again," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and at the State Theatre in Mercedes Thursday and Friday.

Jack Benny, surrounded by such laugh provokers as Andy Devine, Phil Harris and Rochester with feminine support of Ellen Drew and Virginia Dale in "Buck Benny Rides Again," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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VALLEY SCREEN CALENDAR

CAPITOL THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Jack Benny and Ellen Drew in "Buck Benny Rides Again" with Andy Devine, Phil Harris, "Rochester," Virginia Dale and Dennis Day.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Eddie Cantor and Rita Johnson in "Forty Little Mothers" with Bonita Granville and Judith Anderson.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Spencer Tracy and Rita Johnson in "Edison, The Man" with Gene Lockhart and Charles Coburn.

QUEEN THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, ONLY: Bela Lugosi in "The Human Monster."
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Robert Donat and Greer Garson in James Hilton's "Goodbye Mr. Chips."
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake in "Blondie On A Budget" with Larry Simms.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Charles Starrett and Lorena Grey in "Bullets For Rustlers" with the Sons Of The Pioneers.

RIVOLI THEATRE, SAN BENITO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: George Brent and Merle Oberon in "Till We Meet Again" with Pat O'Brien, Binnie Barnes, Frank McHugh and Eric Blore. Also "The Flag Speaks" in color.
TUESDAY ONLY: Martha Raye and Charlie Ruggles in "The Farmer's Daughter."
WIDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Eddie Cantor and Rita Johnson in "Forty Little Mothers" with Bonita Granville and Judith Anderson.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Dorothy Lamour and Robert Preston in "Typhoon" with Lynne Overman. Filmed in Technicolor.

ARCADIA THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Alice Faye, Don Ameche and Henry Fonda in "Lillian Russell" with Warren Williams, Edward Arnold and Leo Carillo.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: John Garfield and Ann Shirley in "Saturday's Children" with Claude Rains. Tuesday Only: On Stage Frances Jennings School of Dance.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Jack Benny and Ellen Drew in "Buck Benny Rides Again" with Andy Devine, Phil Harris, "Rochester" and Virginia Dale. Also "The Flag Speaks" in color.

RIALTO THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Jack Holt and Harry Carey in "Outside The Three Mile Limit" with Eduardo Ciannelli, Donald Briggs and Irene Ware.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Margot Stevenson and James Stephenson in "Calling Philo Vance" with Ralph Forbes and Henry O'Neill.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: George Brent and Isa Miranda in "Adventure In Diamonds" with John Loder, Nigel Bruce and Rex Evans.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Roy Rogers and Pauline Moore in "Young Buffalo Bill" with George "Gabby" Hayes.

STRAND THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Clark Gable and Joan Crawford in "Strange Cargo" with Peter Lorre, Albert Dekker and Paul Lukas.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Mae West and W. C. Fields in "My Little Chickadee" with Fuzzy Knight.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Preston Foster and Andy Devine in "Geronimo" with Ellen Drew and Ralph Morgan.
SATURDAY ONLY: Spanish dialogue films.

STATE THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Dorothy Lamour and Robert Preston in "Typhoon" with Lynne Overman and J. Carrol Naish. Filmed in Technicolor.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Joan Blondell, Lana Turner and George Murphy in "Two Girls On Broadway" with Kent Taylor.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: George Brent and Merle Oberon in "Til We Meet Again" with Binnie Barnes, Frank McHugh, Pat O'Brien and Eric Blore.
SATURDAY ONLY: The Three Mesquiteers in "Covered Wagon Days."

RITZ THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Bing Crosby and Gloria Jean in "If I Had My Way" with El Brendel and Charles Winninger.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: George Brent and Merle Oberon in "Til We Meet Again" with Pat O'Brien, Binnie Barnes, Frank McHugh and Eric Blore.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Lana Turner, Joan Blondell and George Murphy in "Two Girls On Broadway" with Kent Taylor.
SATURDAY ONLY: Charles Starrett and Iris Meredith in "Blazing Six Shooters" with the Sons Of The Pioneers.

PALACE THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Lew Ayres and Lionel Barrymore in "Dr. Kildare's Strange Case" with Laraine Day. Also latest March of Time.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: John Garfield and Anne Shirley in "Saturday's Children" with Claude Rains.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Dorothy Lamour and Robert Preston in "Typhoon" with Lynne Overman and J. Carrol Naish.

QUEEN THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY ONLY: The Weaver Brothers and Elviry in "In Old Missouri" with Loretta Weaver and Thurston Hall.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake in "Blondie Brings Up Baby" with Larry Simms.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Spencer Tracy and Hedy Lamarr in "I Take This Woman."
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Tex Ritter and his horse White Flash in "Pals Of The Silver Sage."

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BELA LUGOSI
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SUNDAY—MONDAY
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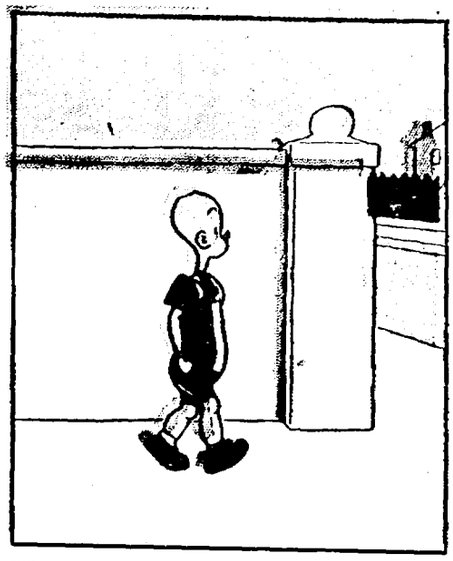

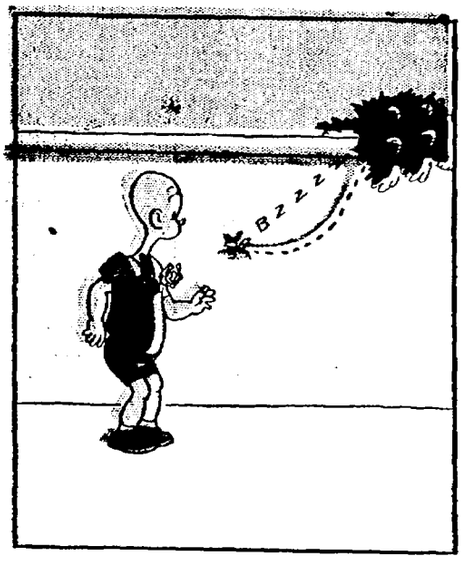

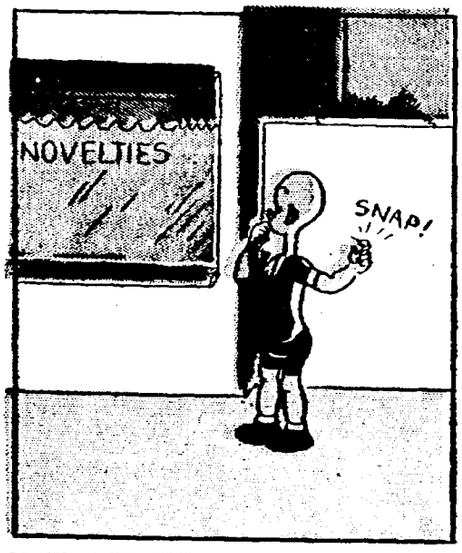

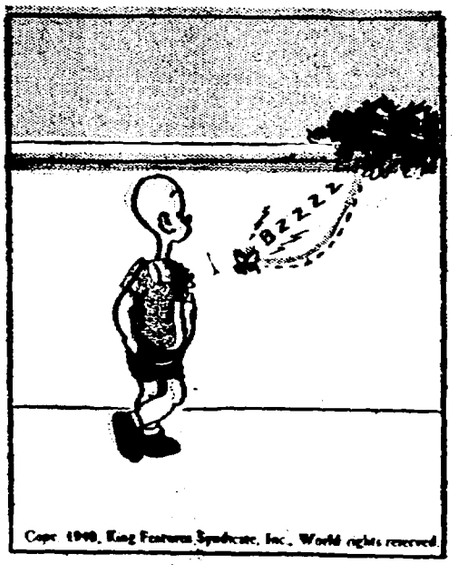

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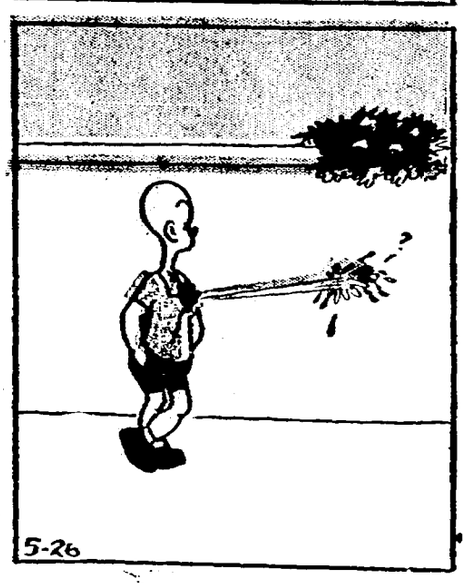

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SUNDAY, MAY 26, 1940

CAPTAIN EASY BY ROY CRANE

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

GET THIS, KID! UNTIL ALL THE STOLEN ARMS AND MUNITIONS ARE IN OUR HANDS, YOU **AIN'T ALLOWED TO QUIT!** IS THAT CLEAR?

PLEES TO GET EEN THE PLANE, SENOR—

—AND NO FONNY BUSINESS

AND SO IT IS THAT EASY, HANDCUFFED TO THE WHEEL AND WITH A REVOLVER AT HIS HEAD, BECOMES A GUN-RUNNER FOR BANDITS INSTEAD OF TRANSPORTING MACHINERY FOR A SILVER MINE

WHEN THE JOB IS DONE:

I QUIT!

OH, NO YA DON'T, KID! ME AN' PEDRO BEEN TALKING IT OVER. WE GOT PLANS. **BIG PLANS!**

UNTEEL WE GET ANOTHER PILOT, WE WEEL DESIRE YOUR SERVICES

A PRISONER, AM I?

OH, NO, NO, SENOR! WE PAY YOU $500 A MONTH. DO AS YOU PLEES. GO ANYWHERE YOU WEESH, NEARBY. ONLY DO NOT MOUNT A HORSE, OR GET EEN THE PLANE WEETHOUT PERMISSION, ONNERSTAN!

I GET IT. I'M FREE AS A BIRD, ONLY I'M NOT TO FLY

EXACTLY

TWO O'CLOCK, PEDRO. HANDCUFF 'IM TO THE WHEEL AN' GET 10 MEN WITH PLENTY MACHINE GUNS

WHERE WE GOING?

ON A TWENTIETH CENTURY BANDIT RAID TO THE HACIENDA DE LAS PALMAS, THA'S WHERE!

YOUR GOLD PLEES DON GREGARIO

BUT I 'AVE NO GOLD. ALL MY MONEY EES IN THE BANK

EEN THAT CASE, WE ARE FORCE' TO 'OLD YOUR BEE-UTIFUL DAUGHTER UNTEEL WE RECEEF 50,000 PESOS!

SHUT UP! GO DIG UP THE 50,000 PESOS!

EASY GETS AN UNFORGETTABLE GLIMPSE OF TWO LOVELY, FRIGHTENED EYES

LATER:

EH? YOU ARE A PRISONER, TOO?

YES. I'M SORRY FOR THE PART I PLAYED. BELIEVE ME, SENORITA, IF THERE'S ANYTHING I CAN DO— IF THERE'S ANY WAY I CAN HELP—

HA! ALREADY THE GRINGO PLANS TO ESCAPE

OH, WELL! HE AIN'T MUCH USE TO US ANY MORE, ANYWAY! LET'S GIVE HIM ENOUGH ROPE SO HE CAN HANG HIMSELF

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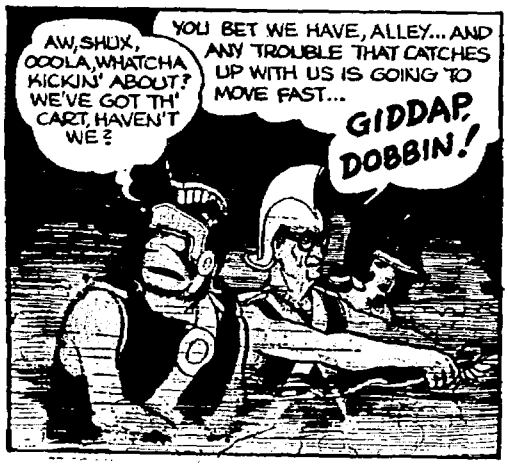

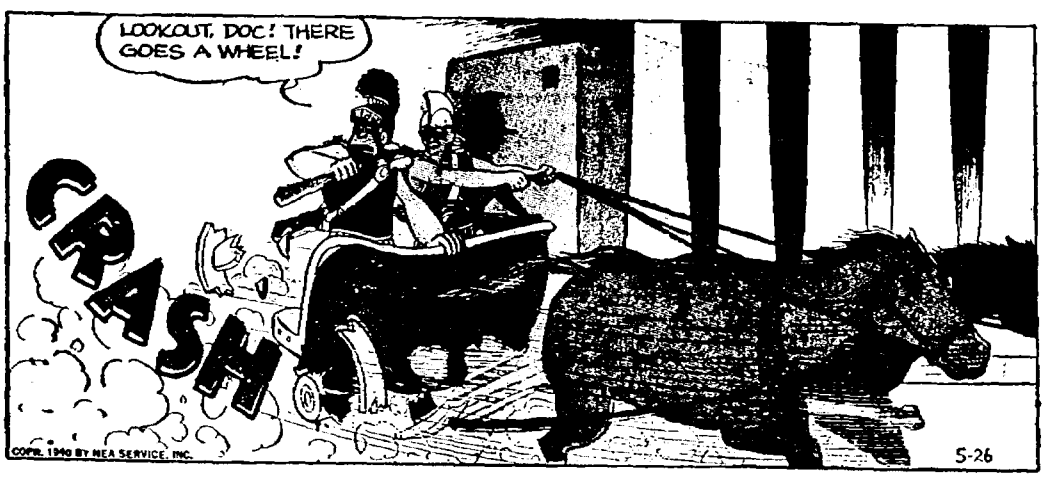

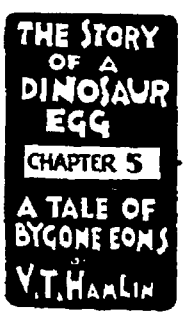

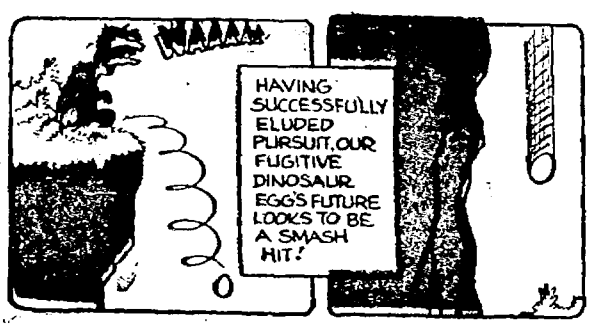

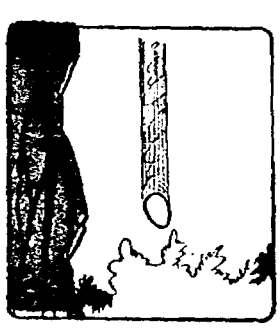

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WHY, MERVIE-

YOU'RE ALL OUT OF BREATH

YEAH YEAH

WAS THERE SOMETHING IN PARTICULAR YOU WANTED TO SEE ME ABOUT?

UH.. -WELL-

AWW, BOOTS ... I-I HURT

HURT? WHERE?

IT AIN'T THAT KIND OF A HURT .. IT'S .. CAN'TCHA SEE, IT'S LOVE

REALLY? OH, TELL ME ABOUT IT

WHAT'S IT LIKE?

IT'S .. AW.. HOW TH' HECK WOULD I KNOW?

SAY, ARE YOU SURE YOU'RE OKAY?

ME?

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I CAN'T STAND IT

WHAT'S TH' MATTER WITH 'IM, BOOTS?

BABE 'N' HORACE

'MEMBER WHEN WE USED T'COME OUT HERE B'FORE WE WERE MARRIED?

UH HUH

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T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

I S'POSE YA USED TO BRING PLENTY OF OTHER GIRLS, TOO

AW NOW, HON ... Y'KNOW THERE NEVER WAS ANY-ONE BUT YOU

BOOTS CALLS

DOT WORD

WELL-L-L, NOT MANY

BOOTS CUTOUT

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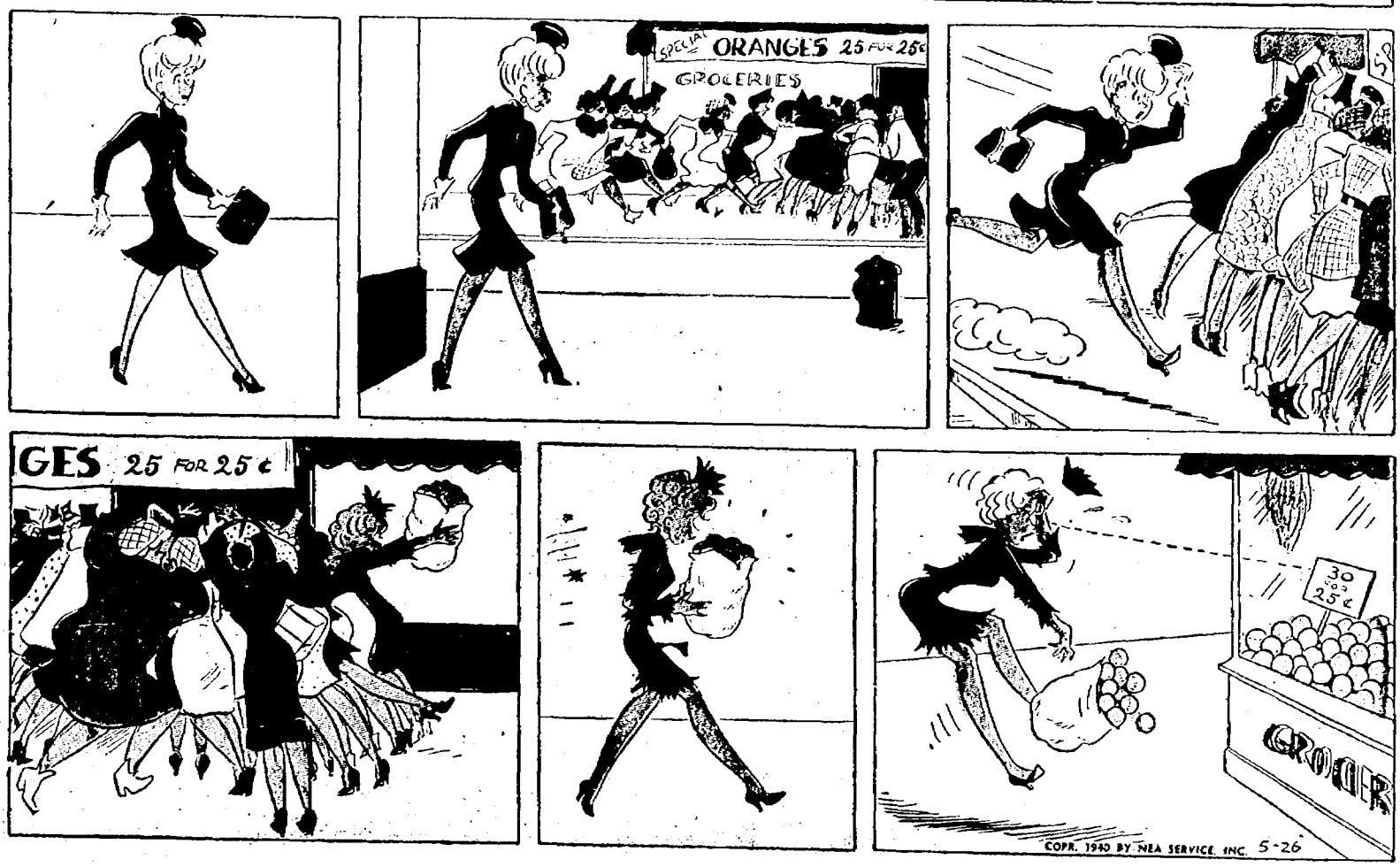
RAINBO IS good BREAD For CHILDREN

Brenda Breeze by Rolfe



KREE MEE JERKY

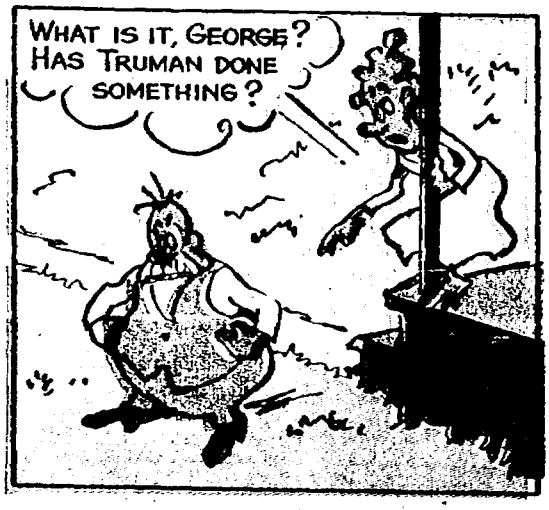
Any youngster — up to 86 years will enjoy the cooling delicious flavor of —

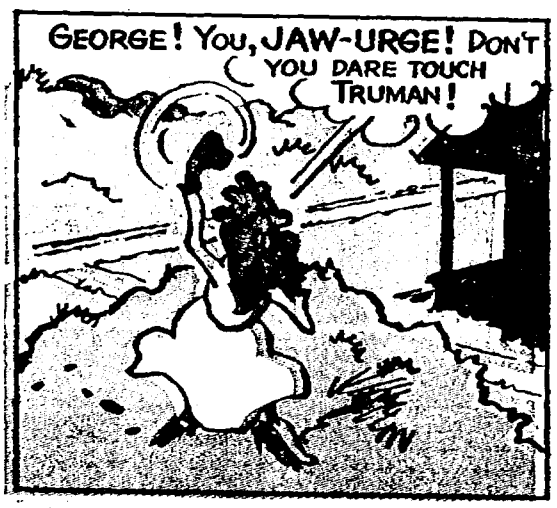
KREE MEE JUMBO CONES

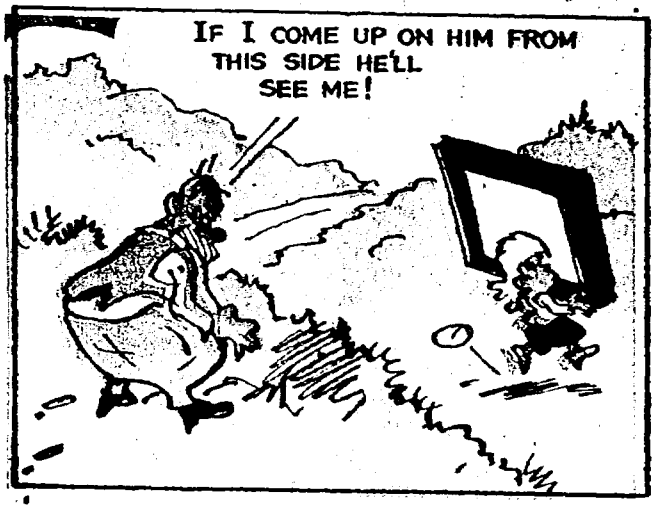
And for a larger order ask for a BUCKET of KREE-MEE. Delicious. Refreshing.

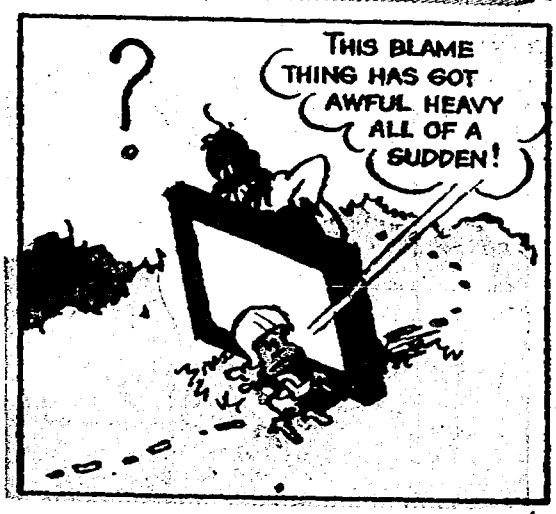
TOONERVILLE FOLKS

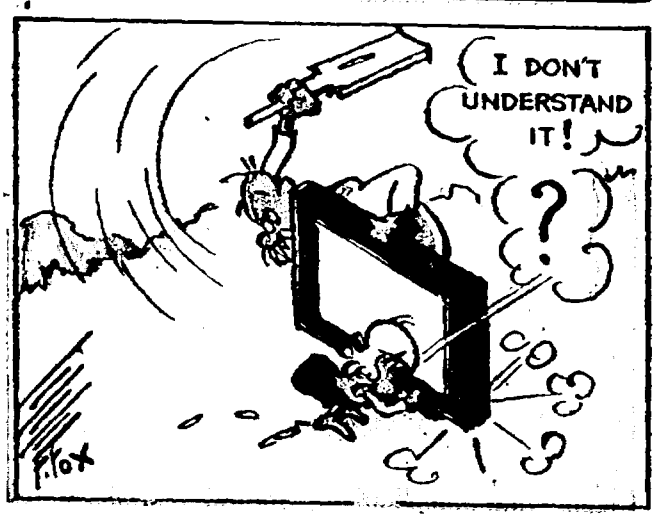
By FONTAINE FOX

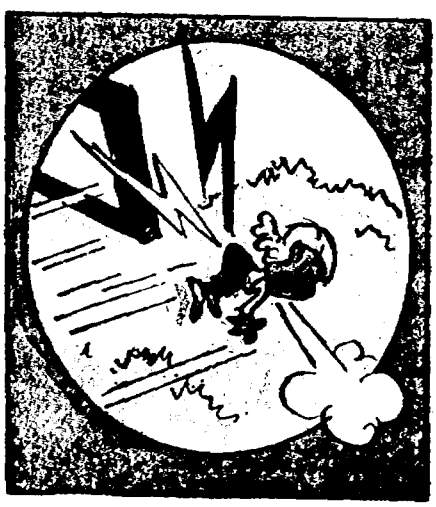












RAINBO IS GOOD BREAD For MEN

LI'L ABNER

by AL CAPP

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Advice fo' Chillun

NO STARS - BOP! MARS!!

CHILLUN THAT DON'T LOOK OUT FOR CARS, IS APT TO SEE MARS AND OTHER STARS . . . SUBMITTED BY J.N. COOKE, ROCHESTER, N.Y . . . .

THE FIENDISH SCHEME OF THE RIVAL SCREWBALL COLLEGE IS SUCCEEDING -

THE SKUNK HOLLOW BOYS HAVE OVERCOME ALL BUT THE YOKUMS PHYSICALLY-

THE CO-EDS ARE OVERCOMING LI'L ABNER MENTALLY, WHICH IS, OF COURSE, A SMALL MATTER.

CAIN'T HELP IT EF TH' GAME **IS** 'BOUT T' START, MAMMY!- THESE GALS IS READIN' A BOOK T' ME, NAME OF **"TH' EN-SI-CLO-PEE-DEE-A BRITT-AN-ICA!!**- 'TWOULDN'T BE PERLITE T'GO BEFO' THEY'S FINISHED, THEY IS ALREADY UP T' **"D"**-

WAL - RECKON (-GULP!-) **AH** GOTTA BE TH' WHOLE TEAM **MAHSELF!!**

THEY BIN AT IT **NINE** HOURS NOW!

YO' CLAIMS **YO'** IS TH' "UMPIRE" AN' YO' SAYS **AH CAIN'T BE TH' WHOLE TEAM! SO YO' IS ON THAR SIDE, IS YO'?**

NO! I'M NOT ON **ANYONE'S** SIDE!!

EF HE HAINT ON ANYONE'S SIDE, HE OUGHTA GIT OFF TH' **FIELD!**

RIGHT!

THAR!!- HE **IS** OFF TH' FIELD - **PRACTIC'LY!**

GULP!- 'TWARN'T HOOMAN BUT- **'TWERE** NECESSARY!

YO' IS AT BAT FIRST, PANSY!

BOP!! **OVAH TH' FENCE!**

HOME RUN!!

BOP!!- AND **BOP** AGAIN!!- THREE HOME RUNS FOR MAMMY!!-

YO' KIN TAKE TH' CLUB NOW BOYS!- **AH'M TIRED!!**- AH'LL REST UP BY MERELY PITCHIN', KETCHIN, PLAYIN' SHORTSTOP, OUTFIELD, AN' FIRST, SECOND AN' THIRD BASE!!

WE WON'T TAKE NO CHANCES! WE'LL SWAT AT THET BALL **THREE AT A TIME!!**

THEN WE **CAIN'T MISS!!**

GREAT SCOTT!! SHE'S CAUGHT THE SAME BALL SHE PITCHED!!

BOP!!-AND **BOP** AGAIN!!-

ALL **NINE** O' 'EM IS OUT!- THET MEANS **AH** WINS - AN' EF ANY O' YO' POLECATS DOUBTS IT- **STEP DOWN!!**

GULP! GULP!! GULP!!

BROTHER PAUL!- THE BASEBALL RIVALRY BETWEEN OUR COLLEGES HAS RESULTED IN WHAT WE JUST SAW!- BASEBALL IS BECOMING **PLAIN UNADULTERATED MURDER!!**

LET'S **MERGE** OUR COLLEGES SO THAT - THIS - WILL **NEVER** HAPPEN AGAIN, BROTHER SAUL!!

-AND NOW WE COME TO **"E"!**- THE FIRST CHAPTER IS "EE-AWOO" -A TYPE OF BIRD FOUND IN REMOTE REGIONS OF TIBET-

YAS'M- YAS'M!

THE GAME'S OVER AND THEY WON!!- YOU MIGHT AS WELL **HANG UP!!**

GULP!!- THEY DONE I... UP RIGHT IN TH' MOST **EXCITIN'** PART O' TH' "EN-SI-CLO-PEDIA BRITAN-NICA!! NOW AH'LL **NEVER** KNOW HOW THET BOOK **ENDS!!**

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Give the Family a Treat. Take a Quart Home

KREE MEE ICE CREAM

IT'S DELICIOUS IT'S DELIGHTFUL

Make Your Party a Success. Serve temptingly flavored Kree Mee

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY

5-26-'40

SAY AH···

A-A-H!

BILL BIFF! WHAT ARE YOU GROANING ABOUT? IS IT SOMETHING YOU'RE READING?

YEAH! THIS PAMPHLET IS ADVERTISIN' DOCTOR ZULCH'S PILLS··AN' I'VE GOT **EVERY SYMPTOM** IN THE BOOK BUT ONE!

I SUPPOSE THE ONE SYMPTOM YOU DON'T HAVE IS "*LOSS OF APPETITE?*"

IT'S NO JOKIN' MATTER, MARY! I'M A **VERY** SICK MAN, AN' I'M GOIN' T'SEE A **DOCTOR**··BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE!

OH BILL, SAVE YOUR MONEY! YOU'RE AS HEALTHY AS A TRUCK HORSE!

IF YE GET A CALL FROM A HOSPITAL, DON'T WORRY··· IT'LL JEST BE ME!

FINE STUFF! A MAN GETS NO SYMPATHY TILL IT'S TOO LATE TO DO HIM ANY GOOD! THERE'S A DOCTOR'S OFFICE! I HOPE I DON'T COLLAPSE ON TH' STAIRS!

DR. DEAN M.D.

I'M IN AN AWFUL SHAPE, DOC! LOOK ME OVER AN' TELL ME WHAT ALL'S **WRONG** WITH ME··AN' DON'T HOLD NOTHIN' BACK! I'M PREPARED FOR TH' WORST!

MY GOOD MAN, I CAN TELL YOU IN JUST **THREE SENTENCES** WHAT IS **WRONG** WITH YOU!

IN THE FIRST PLACE, YOUR FEATURES ARE BADLY ALIGNED AND YOUR ENTIRE FACE IS UTTERLY DEVOID OF **SYMMETRY**!

I KNOWED IT! I TOLD MARY I WAS IN A MIGHTY SERIOUS CONDITION!

SECONDLY, THAT CHROMATIC NIGHTMARE YOU'VE PUT TOGETHER INDICATES A COMPLETE LACK OF TASTE!

OH MY! D'YE THINK Y'LL HAVE TO OPERATE, DOC?

Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.
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AND IN THE THIRD PLACE, I'M AN **ARTIST**! THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE IS ACROSS THE HALL!

R. DEAN M.D.

DALE

THIMBLE THEATRE :-: Starring POPEYE

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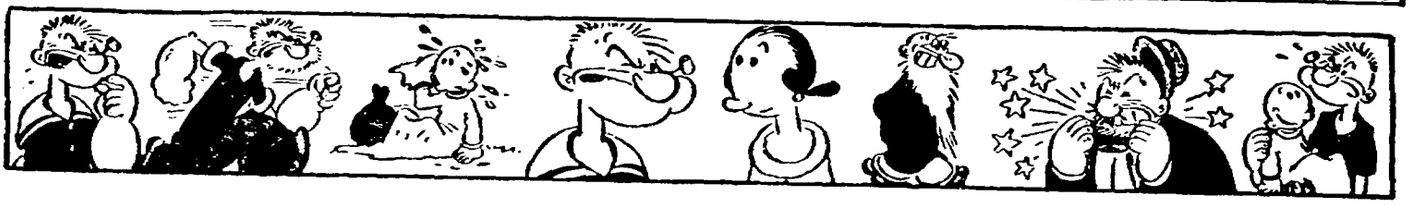

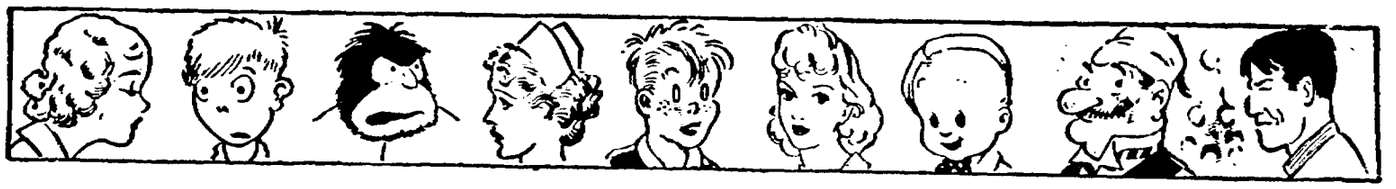

THIS WORLD

by Lyman Kerguson

T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

DO YOU SUPPOSE THAT VARIOUS WILD ANIMAL TYPES COULD IMPROVE THEIR CHANCES OF SURVIVAL IN THIS CHANGING WORLD BY *COMBINING THEIR RESOURCES*... LIKE SO MANY WELL ESTABLISHED BUSINESS FIRMS THAT HAVE *MERGED*...TO STAVE OFF EXTINCTION?

SMITH & JONES

PULL IN YOUR NECK, OSCAR!

The "DURKLE," WITH HIS ARMOR-PLATED BODY, WOULD BE PLENTY TOUGH FOR HUNTERS TO BRING DOWN.

DO NOT DISTURB

The "PORCUNOCEROS" WOULDN'T HAVE MANY CLOSE FRIENDS, BUT HIS ENEMIES WOULDN'T COME CLOSE EITHER.

The "HIPPORAFFE," FOR INSTANCE, COULD GRAZE ON DRY LAND WITHOUT LEAVING HIS WATERY RETREAT.

The "MONKEPHANT" WOULDN'T CATCH COLD SLEEPING ON DAMP GROUND, FOR HE'D ALWAYS HAVE A HAMMOCK RIGHT ON HAND.

The "SQUIRRELAROO" WOULDN'T HAVE TO BURY HIS WINTER'S SUPPLY OF NUTS! HE COULD JUST FILL UP HIS POCKET, AND CARRY THEM WITH HIM.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

by

T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

GOOD HEAVENS! WHAT WAS THAT?

?

BOOM

WHAT ON EARTH HAPPENED, HENRY?

I WALKED INTO THE BATHROOM TO SHAVE, AND MADE THE MISTAKE OF LIGHTING A CIGAR!

FFT

PHT

SPT-T-

I GUESS THE GAS IS STILL LEAKING UP THERE!

I SMELLED IT EARLIER AND HAD FRECKLES WORK ON THE PIPES.

IF YOU TOOK ANY PIPES APART, COULD IT BE POSSIBLE YOU PUT THEM TOGETHER WRONG?

IT'S NOT MY FAULT, DAD.... THE GAS LEAKED ALL MORNING!

FUNNY I DIDN'T SMELL IT UNTIL I TURNED ON THE BATHROOM FAUCET!

POP, YOU'VE BEEN READING TOO MANY JOKES ABOUT RADIOS MAKING ICE CUBES AND REFRIGERATORS GIVING MUSIC!

HOW COULD ANYONE BE DUMB ENOUGH TO HOOK UP THE WRONG PIPES?

LOOK!

MOM! OH, MOM! WE HAVE TO MAKE SOME CHANGES! DON'T TRY TO LIGHT THE STOVE!!

NO ONE HAS **EVER** SUCCEEDED IN SETTING FIRE TO A STREAM OF **WATER**!!

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THE NUT BROS.

CHES & WAL

T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

ONE IN A MILLION!

MY WORD! A MOUSE— HO-HUM!

THIS BOOK SAYS THAT ANTS ARE THE HARDEST WORKING CREATURES IN THE WORLD!

THEN HOW COME THEY HAVE SO MUCH TIME TO GO TO PICNICS?

THIS IS MY NEWEST ABSTRACT PAINTING— I CALL IT "NIGHT WATCHMAN AT THE WATER WORKS" —JUST THE THING FOR YOUR GARAGE!

HOT

I'LL TAKE IT— I'VE NEEDED AN AWNING FOR A LONG TIME!

FREE AIR

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

MAJOR HOOPLE

JOVE, TWIGGS, A NEW FAMILY MOVING INTO OUR NEIGHBORHOOD!

THAT'S THEIR HARD LUCK, I'D SAY!

EGAD, WE MUST PASS THE TIME OF DAY — WHO KNOWS BUT WE MAY PICK UP SOME INTERESTING NEW FRIENDS!

YOU HAVE WONDERFUL TALENT, MAJOR, FOR DIPPING YOUR NECKTIE INTO OTHER PEOPLE'S SOUP!

HAR-RUMPH! — JUST PASSING, FRIEND, AND NOTICED YOU MOVING IN! MY NAME IS MAJOR AMOS B. HOOPLE — GLAD TO WELCOME YOU TO OUR HAPPY LITTLE NEIGHBORHOOD!

YEAH?

COME ON, MAJOR, YOU'RE NOT RUNNING FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, ARE YOU?

WHAT AN ODD VASE! — VALUABLE, I'LL WAGER! LOOKS VERY MUCH LIKE A RARE OLD MING DYNASTY POTTERY!

MY WIFE PICKED THAT UP SOMEWHERE IN THE EAST!

THE OLD BOY'S GOT THE BIT IN HIS TEETH — CAN'T STOP HIM NOW!

MIND IF I CARRY THIS IN? — JUST TO HELP A NEW NEIGHBOR?

NO, NO, GO RIGHT AHEAD! DON'T MIND ME!

WELL, HE KNOWS ENOUGH NOT TO GRAB A PIANO!

I BLUSH FOR SHAME AT THIS AWKWARD INCIDENT — HAK-KAFF!

LOOK! SOMETHING FELL OUT OF THE VASE!

A ROLL OF BILLS! WHAT! SAY, THAT MUST BE THE MONEY UNCLE BUN HID YEARS AGO!

WELL, GEORGE! THIS WILL ENABLE US TO MOVE RIGHT OUT OF THIS MIDDLE-CLASS, NOSEY NEIGHBORHOOD INTO MORE ARISTOCRATIC SURROUNDINGS!

YOU ADMIRED THAT VASE, MISTER! — WELL, AS A REWARD YOU CAN HAVE IT — IT OUGHT TO BE EASY TO FIX!

SPUTT-TT! MY WORD! — THANKS! — HMM!

THIS SURELY IS A VERY VALUABLE VASE AT THAT, TWIGGS!

LET'S SEE THE THING!

YEP, THIS IS A MING VASE, ALL RIGHT — LOOK AT THE SIGN STAMPED ON THE BOTTOM — "BUSBY'S FIVE-AND-DIME"!

E-EGAD!

FAW! ARISTOCRACY! TWIGGS, MY GORGE RISES AT THE BASENESS OF THIS WORLD AND ITS WRETCHED WORLDLINGS!

HM! YOU OUGHT TO BE GLAD THAT FELLOW DIDN'T HAVE YOU ARRESTED!

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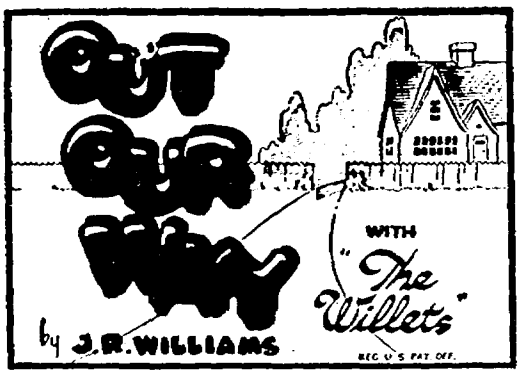
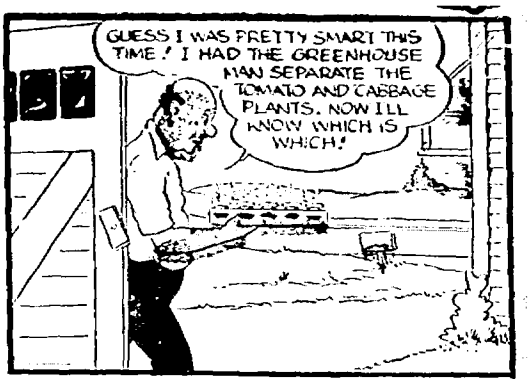
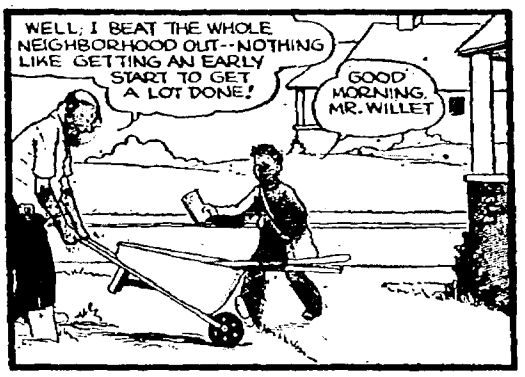
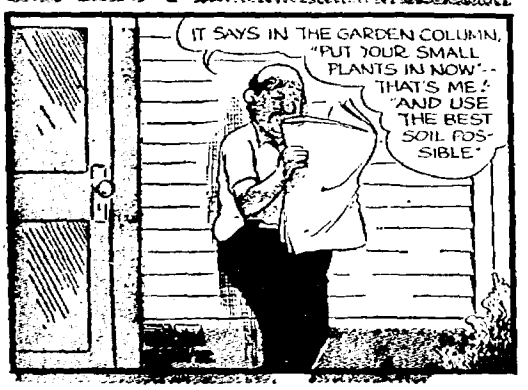
KREE MEE Double Dip Cones

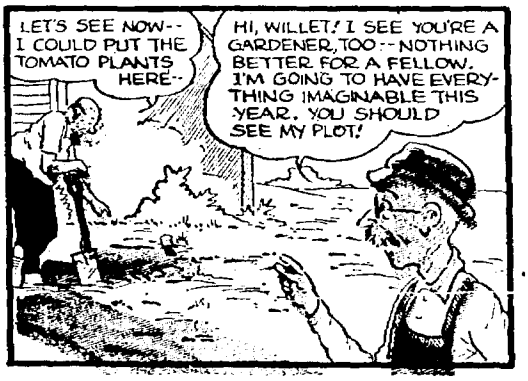
Your children will always ask for KREE Mee ICE CREAM and they can't get too much for their active, healthful young bodies. KREE MEE DOUBLE DIP CONES or 1c BUCKETS will please them.

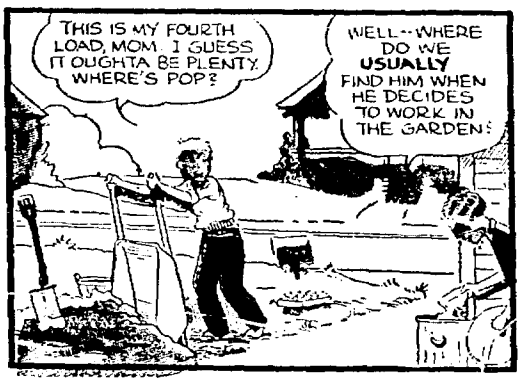


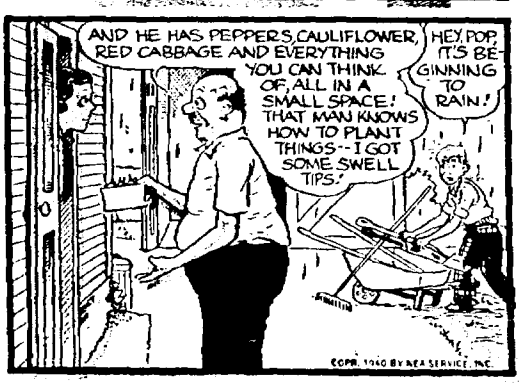


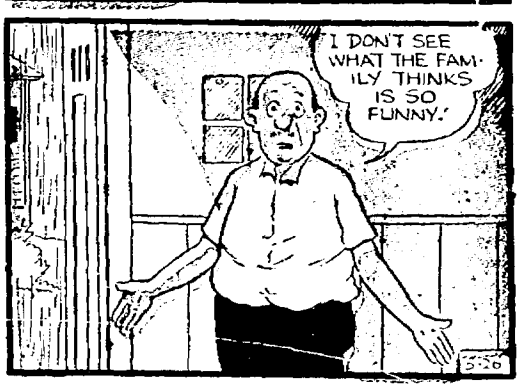






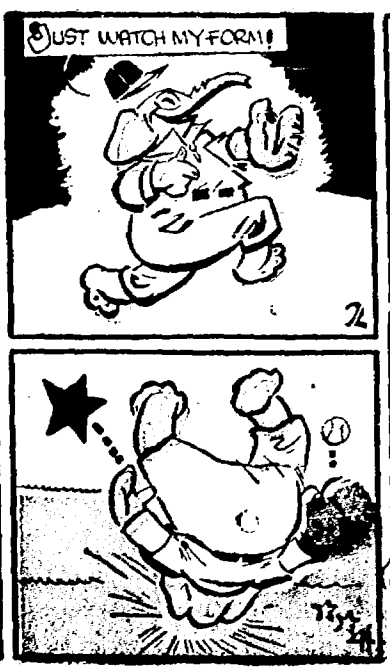






THE COMIC ZOO

By Scarbo



RAINBO IS good BREAL For WOMEN

Myra North
AND THE MYSTIC DRAGON

By RAY THOMPSON AND CHARLES COLL

REG U S PAT OFF

I'M ASTONISHED TO FIND YOU RESORTING TO SUCH CRUDE DEVICES, DOCTOR BUT PRAY BE SEATED!

DR. WU ESCAPES ZERO'S "FALSE ELEVATOR" TRAP, ONLY TO FALL DIRECTLY INTO THE LITTLE MAN'S HANDS WHEN HIS SHOTS FAIL TO PENETRATE THE OTHER'S BULLET-PROOF VEST!

WU HESITATES MOMENTARILY, BUT THE NEXT INSTANT A NEEDLE PIERCES HIS ARM!

HA! PERHAPS YOU WILL ANSWER MY QUESTIONS NOW!

OUTSIDE THE OLD MUSEUM, THE OFFICER ON THE BEAT GROWS UNEASY WHEN MYRA AND THE DOCTOR FAIL TO REAPPEAR...

ON ZERO'S LABORATORY, A STRANGE DROWSINESS CREEPS OVER DR. WU! SUBCONSCIOUSLY HE HEARS HIMSELF GIVING AWAY SECRETS CONCERNING THE MYSTIC DRAGON, IN RESPONSE TO THE CRAFTY PROFESSOR'S QUERIES!

JEWELED EYES GLOW IN PRESENCE OF PRECIOUS METALS **ONLY** WHEN SET IN DRAGON... COMBINATION OF ATOMIC VIBRATIONS NECESSARY FOR METALLURGIC REACTION... SAME IS DUE TO...

DOCTOR! HE'S INJECTED YOU WITH SOME KIND OF **TRUTH SERUM-- BE QUIET!**

TOO LATE, MISS NORTH--HEH-HEH! OUR CLEVER DOCTOR HAS ALREADY LET THE FELINE OUT OF THE SACK! BUT NOW I MUST LEAVE YOU FOR A TIME - DON'T RUN AWAY! HEH-HEH!

WHAT'S THIS?! THE ELECTRIC EYE ALARM DOWNSTAIRS --*SO YOU DIDN'T COME ALONE!*

BUZZ-! BUZZ!

BLAST THIS GLOOMY PLACE! NOT A TRACE OF LIFE **ANYWHERE!** YET THEY **MUST** BE HERE!

WELL, DOCTOR, IT LOOKS AS IF I'LL HAVE TO GIVE AWAY ONE OF **MY** SECRETS! BUT IT MAY INTEREST YOUR SCIENTIFIC BRAIN TO LEARN THAT WITH ZERO, THE DUAL PERSONALITY BUSINESS OF **JEKYLL-HYDE** IS OLD STUFF--*WATCH!*

QUITE AMAZING, WHAT? BUT NOW, I MUST GO QUICKLY--BEFORE MY "BETTER NATURE" GETS THE UPPER HAND! *CHEERIO!*

!! !o!

CHARLES COLL

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NEXT: MR. OREZ"!

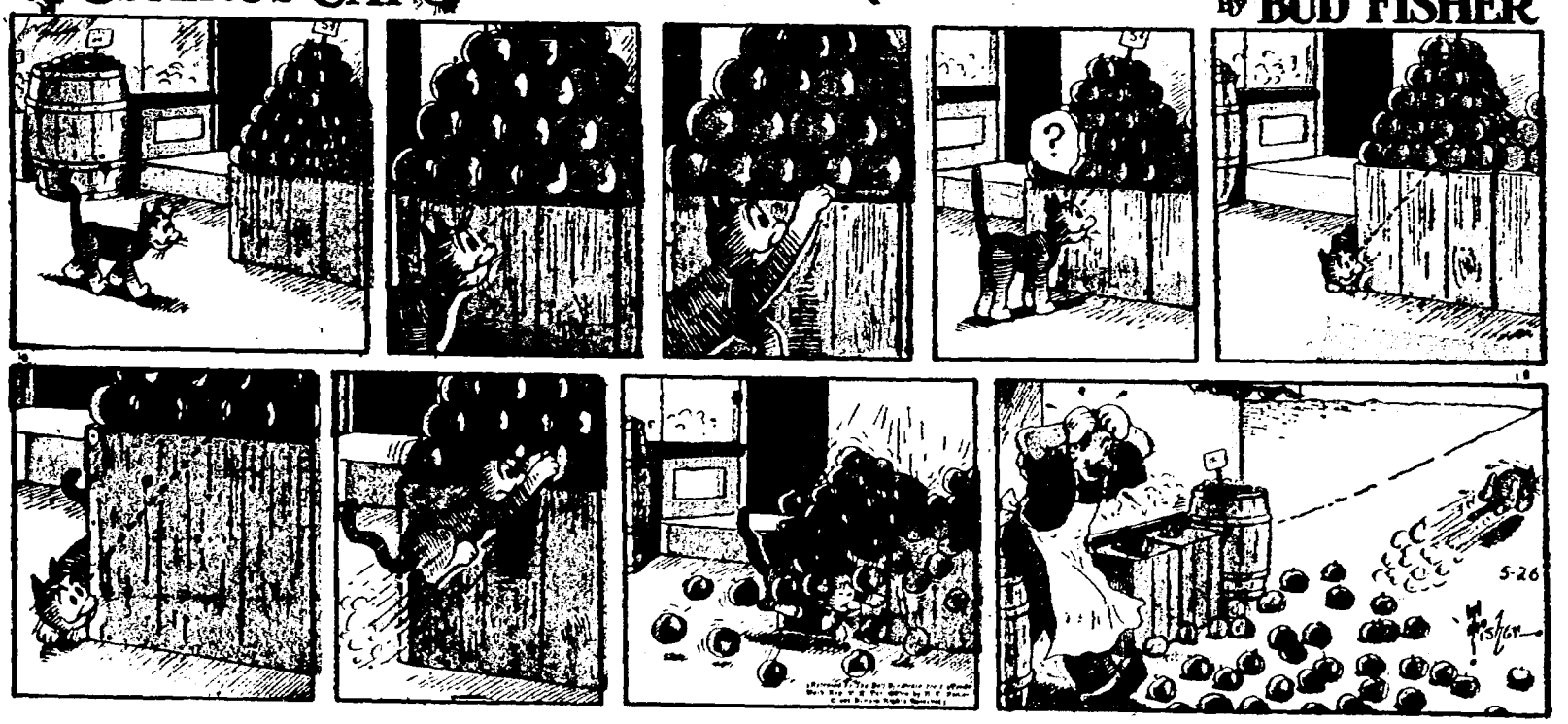
You "Aint" Tasted Nothing Till You've Enjoyed a **KREE MEE** THICK MALTED **MILK**

MUTT & JEFF

By BUD FISHER

CICERO'S CAT

By BUD FISHER



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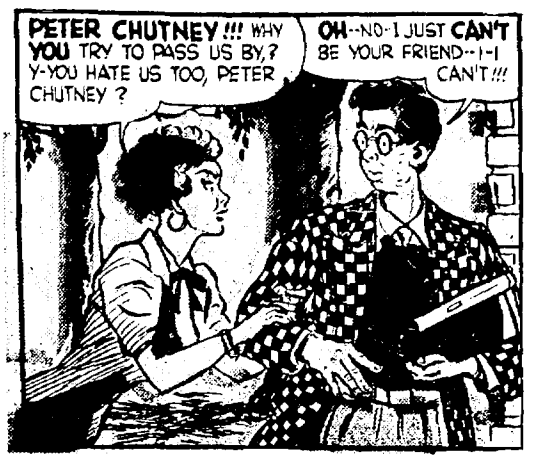
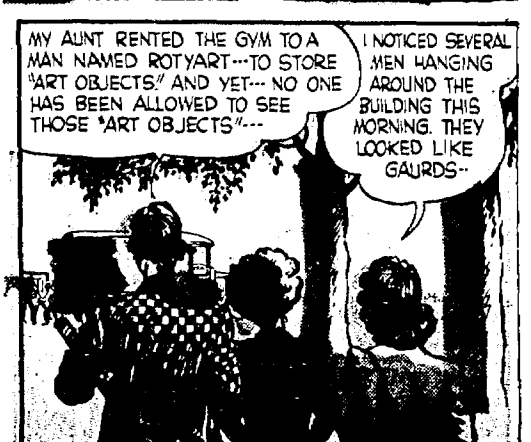
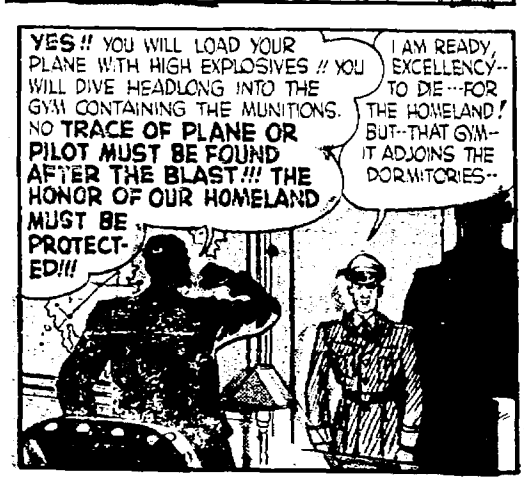
ABBIE an' SLATS

by RAEBURN VAN BUREN







KREE MEE FINE BUTTER

KREE MEE BUTTER is made from the best butter cream available in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Its goodness is apparent the moment you open the carton. Ask for it by name.